

TUESDAY EVENING APRIL 22, 1997

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00
CBS	CBS Evening News	Highway Patrol	Promised Land "The Secret" (R) (In Stereo)	"Sleeping With the Devil" (1997, Drama) Sharon Lockhart. A woman tragically discovers her ex-husband's sinister side.	News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Late Late Show Singer Tanya Tucker. (In Stereo)	Access Hollywood	Gordon Elliott (R)						
WTAE	Inside Edition	Entertainment Tonight	Roseanne (In Stereo)	Soul Man (In Stereo)	Home Improvement (In Stereo)	Spin City "Gaby's Song" (In Stereo) (PA)	NYPD Blue "Love Lucy" (In Stereo) (PA)	News	Nightline	American Journal	Rolonda	Jerry Springer			
CBS	Home Improvement	Step by Step (In Stereo)	Promised Land "The Secret" (R) (In Stereo)	"Sleeping With the Devil" (1997, Drama) Sharon Lockhart. A woman tragically discovers her ex-husband's sinister side.	News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Late Late Show Singer Tanya Tucker. (In Stereo)	News (R)	Late Show (In Stereo)	News (R)	CBS Up to the Minute				
NBC	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	Mad About You (R) (In Stereo)	Something So Right (In Stereo)	Fraser "Ham Radio" (In Stereo)	Caroline in the City (In Stereo)	Dateline (In Stereo)	News	Tonight Show Actor Michael J. Fox, boxer Evander Holyfield.	Late Night (In Stereo)	Later (In Stereo)	Extra			
WGN	Family Matters (In Stereo)	Major League Baseball: Olympic Stadium. (Chicago Live)	Cubs at Montreal Expos. From		News (In Stereo)	WiseGuy "Hello Buckle Up" (In Stereo)	In the Heat of the Night "The Rabbit" (In Stereo)	Simon & Simon "Our Fair City"	Paid Program						
NBC	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy!	Mad About You (R) (In Stereo)	Something So Right (In Stereo)	Fraser "Ham Radio" (In Stereo)	Caroline in the City (In Stereo)	Dateline (In Stereo)	News	Tonight Show Actor Michael J. Fox, boxer Evander Holyfield.	Late Night (In Stereo)	Later (In Stereo)	NBC News Nightline			
TBS	Funnies Home Videos	Funnies Home Videos	ew "Drop Dead Fred" (1991, Comedy) Phoebe Cates, Rick Mayall. A woman's imaginary friend returns to solve her problems.	Major League Baseball: From 3Com Park. (Live) (In Stereo)	Atlanta Braves at San Francisco Giants.	ew "Yellowstone Kelly" (1995) Cliff Wadsworth. A timberman refuses to add the timberjacking to his Sioux.									
FOX	Home Improvement	Seinfeld "The Truth" (In Stereo)	"Fornard" (1996, Drama) Bruce Campbell, Ernie Hudson. Storm chasers race a helicopter to test scientific equipment. (In Stereo)	News	Mad About You (In Stereo)	Mama's Family "Go! Talk" (In Stereo)	Extra (In Stereo)	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Geraldo Rivera				
NBC	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	Mad About You (R) (In Stereo)	Something So Right (In Stereo)	Fraser "Ham Radio" (In Stereo)	Caroline in the City (In Stereo)	Dateline (In Stereo)	News	Tonight Show Actor Michael J. Fox, boxer Evander Holyfield.	Late Night (In Stereo)	Later (In Stereo)	Jenny Jones (In Stereo)			
NBC	Seinfeld "The Truth" (In Stereo)	Mad About You (R) (In Stereo)	Mad About You (R) (In Stereo)	Something So Right (In Stereo)	Fraser "Ham Radio" (In Stereo)	Caroline in the City (In Stereo)	Dateline (In Stereo)	News	Tonight Show Actor Michael J. Fox, boxer Evander Holyfield.	Late Night (In Stereo)	Later (In Stereo)	NBC News Nightside			
PBS	Newshour With Jim Lehrer	Nova "Siamese Twins" (R) (In Stereo)	Frontline "Nuclear Reaction" (In Stereo)	Before 11: Medical Care and Personal Choices	Charlie Rose (In Stereo)	(Off Air)									
IND	6:30/7:00 Life Lessons	Getting Together	Sport	His Place (Live)	American Investigator "Qid Pro Quo"	Generations	Night	Songs	His Place (R)	Getting Together (R)	Cope				
FAM	Waltons	"The Portals"	Highway to Heaven "Children's Chosen" (In Stereo)	Rescue 911 (In Stereo)	700 Club (Left in Progress)	Three Stooges	Carson's Comedy Classics	Carson's Comedy Classics	Paid Program	Paid Program	700 Club (Left in Progress)				
PBS	Nightly Business Report	Man Who Planned Trees	Nova "Siamese Twins" (R) (In Stereo)	Frontline "Nuclear Reaction" (In Stereo)	Before 11: Medical Care and Personal Choices	Masterpiece Theatre "Rebecca" (In Stereo) (Part 2 of 2)	Masterpiece Theatre "Rebecca"	Charlie Rose (In Stereo)	(Off Air)						
NASH	Dukes of Hazzard "And in This Corner, Luke Duke"	Yesterday's Today "Gospel Greats" (In Stereo)	Prime Time Country Vern Gosdin. (R) (In Stereo)	Not Fade Away: Remembering Buddy Holly (R)	Dallas "Some Do... Some Don't" (In Stereo)	Dukes of Hazzard "And in This Corner, Luke Duke"	Prime Time Country Vern Gosdin. (R) (In Stereo)	Not Fade Away: B. Holly							
MTV	Singled Out	Idiot Savants	Unplugged	Earth Day	Movie Awards	Buzzkill (In Stereo)	World Tour	Singled Out	Loveline (In Stereo)	Adult Videos	Night	Music Videos (In Stereo)			
ESPN	Sportscenter	Stanley Cup Playoffs: Conference Quarterfinal Game 4 - Teams to Be Announced (Time Approximate)	Baseball	Sportscenter	Baseball	Sportscenter	Baseball	Sportscenter	Baseball	Sportscenter	Baseball	Sportscenter	Baseball	Sportscenter	Baseball
KBL	Sportsbeat	Boxing: Fight Time	From Phoenix	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News
TNT	In the Heat of the Night "Intruders" (In Stereo)	*** "Heaven is a Playground" (1991, Drama) D.B. Sweeney. A ghetto coach turns talented kids into college superstars.	*** "Heaven is a Playground" (1991, Drama) D.B. Sweeney, Michael Warren, Richard Jordan. A ghetto coach turns talented kids into college superstars.	*** "Heaven is a Playground" (1991, Drama) D.B. Sweeney, Michael Warren, Richard Jordan. A ghetto coach turns talented kids into college superstars.	*** "Heaven is a Playground" (1991, Drama) D.B. Sweeney, Michael Warren, Richard Jordan. A ghetto coach turns talented kids into college superstars.	*** "Heaven is a Playground" (1991, Drama) D.B. Sweeney, Michael Warren, Richard Jordan. A ghetto coach turns talented kids into college superstars.	*** "Heaven is a Playground" (1991, Drama) D.B. Sweeney, Michael Warren, Richard Jordan. A ghetto coach turns talented kids into college superstars.	*** "Heaven is a Playground" (1991, Drama) D.B. Sweeney, Michael Warren, Richard Jordan. A ghetto coach turns talented kids into college superstars.	*** "Heaven is a Playground" (1991, Drama) D.B. Sweeney, Michael Warren, Richard Jordan. A ghetto coach turns talented kids into college superstars.	*** "Heaven is a Playground" (1991, Drama) D.B. Sweeney, Michael Warren, Richard Jordan. A ghetto coach turns talented kids into college superstars.	*** "Heaven is a Playground" (1991, Drama) D.B. Sweeney, Michael Warren, Richard Jordan. A ghetto coach turns talented kids into college superstars.	*** "Heaven is a Playground" (1991, Drama) D.B. Sweeney, Michael Warren, Richard Jordan. A ghetto coach turns talented kids into college superstars.	*** "Heaven is a Playground" (1991, Drama) D.B. Sweeney, Michael Warren, Richard Jordan. A ghetto coach turns talented kids into college superstars.	*** "Heaven is a Playground" (1991, Drama) D.B. Sweeney, Michael Warren, Richard Jordan. A ghetto coach turns talented kids into college superstars.	*** "Heaven is a Playground" (1991, Drama) D.B. Sweeney, Michael Warren, Richard Jordan. A ghetto coach turns talented kids into college superstars.
NICK	Doug (In Stereo)	Rugrats (In Stereo)	Secret Alex (In Stereo)	Happy Days (Part 2 of 3)	I Love Lucy (In Stereo)	Be-witched	Newhart	Odd Couple 2 (In Stereo)	Taxi (Part 2 of 2)	Mary Tyler Moore	Dick Van Dyke	Bob Newhart	Rhoda	I Dream of Jeannie	Munsters
AMC	*** "My Favorite Brunette" (1947, Drama)	*** "My Favorite Brunette" (1947, Drama)	*** "My Favorite Brunette" (1947, Drama)	*** "My Favorite Brunette" (1947, Drama)	*** "My Favorite Brunette" (1947, Drama)	*** "My Favorite Brunette" (1947, Drama)	*** "My Favorite Brunette" (1947, Drama)	*** "My Favorite Brunette" (1947, Drama)	*** "My Favorite Brunette" (1947, Drama)	*** "My Favorite Brunette" (1947, Drama)	*** "My Favorite Brunette" (1947, Drama)	*** "My Favorite Brunette" (1947, Drama)	*** "My Favorite Brunette" (1947, Drama)	*** "My Favorite Brunette" (1947, Drama)	*** "My Favorite Brunette" (1947, Drama)
DISC	Wings: The Fulcrum	Wild Discovery "New Guinea: An Island Apart"	New Discoveries "Mind Hunter"	Wild Discovery "New Guinea: An Island Apart"	New Discoveries "Mind Hunter"	Wild Discovery "New Guinea: An Island Apart"	New Discoveries "Mind Hunter"	Wild Discovery "New Guinea: An Island Apart"	New Discoveries "Mind Hunter"	Wild Discovery "New Guinea: An Island Apart"	New Discoveries "Mind Hunter"	Wild Discovery "New Guinea: An Island Apart"	New Discoveries "Mind Hunter"	Wild Discovery "New Guinea: An Island Apart"	New Discoveries "Mind Hunter"
LIFE	Intimate Portrait "Maria Mages Trump" (R)	Unsolved Mysteries (In Stereo)	Unsolved Mysteries (In Stereo)	Unsolved Mysteries (In Stereo)	Unsolved Mysteries (In Stereo)	Unsolved Mysteries (In Stereo)	Unsolved Mysteries (In Stereo)	Unsolved Mysteries (In Stereo)	Unsolved Mysteries (In Stereo)	Unsolved Mysteries (In Stereo)	Unsolved Mysteries (In Stereo)	Unsolved Mysteries (In Stereo)	Unsolved Mysteries (In Stereo)	Unsolved Mysteries (In Stereo)	Unsolved Mysteries (In Stereo)
A&E	Law & Order "Jurisdiction" (In Stereo)	Biography "Genghis Khan: Terror and Conquest" (R)	Ivanhoe John arranges the assassination of Richard. Rebecca is charged with being a witch. (Part 3 of 3)	Law & Order "Conduct Unbecoming" (In Stereo)	Biography "Genghis Khan: Terror and Conquest" (R)	Ivanhoe John arranges the assassination of Richard. Rebecca is charged with being a witch. (Part 3 of 3)	Law & Order "Conduct Unbecoming" (In Stereo)	Biography "Genghis Khan: Terror and Conquest" (R)	Ivanhoe John arranges the assassination of Richard. Rebecca is charged with being a witch. (Part 3 of 3)	Law & Order "Conduct Unbecoming" (In Stereo)	Biography "Genghis Khan: Terror and Conquest" (R)	Ivanhoe John arranges the assassination of Richard. Rebecca is charged with being a witch. (Part 3 of 3)	Law & Order "Conduct Unbecoming" (In Stereo)	Biography "Genghis Khan: Terror and Conquest" (R)	Ivanhoe John arranges the assassination of Richard. Rebecca is charged with being a witch. (Part 3 of 3)
TOON	Captain Planet	Scoby Doo	Bugs & Daffy	Jetsons	Tom and Jerry	Speed Racer	Jonny Quest	Rocky Bullwinkle	Father-Home	Jetsons	Scoby Doo	2 Stupid Dogs	Bugs & Daffy	Jetsons	Scoby Doo
CNBC	Money Club	Steals and Deals	Hardball	Rivera Live	Late Night (In Stereo)	Charles Grodin	Rivera Live (R)	Late Night (In Stereo)	Charles Grodin	Rivera Live (R)	Late Night (In Stereo)	Charles Grodin	Rivera Live (R)	Late Night (In Stereo)	Charles Grodin
SCIFI	Masters of Fantasy (In Stereo)	Sequest DSV (In Stereo)	Forever Knight "Near Death" (In Stereo)	V.R.S. "Pilot" (In Stereo)	Masters of Fantasy (In Stereo)	Sequest DSV (In Stereo)	Forever Knight "Near Death" (In Stereo)	V.R.S. "Pilot" (In Stereo)	Masters of Fantasy (In Stereo)	Sequest DSV (In Stereo)	Forever Knight "Near Death" (In Stereo)	V.R.S. "Pilot" (In Stereo)	Masters of Fantasy (In Stereo)	Sequest DSV (In Stereo)	Forever Knight "Near Death" (In Stereo)
USA	Highlander: The Series "Brothers in Arms" (In Stereo)	Murder, She Wrote "When Thieves Fall Out" (In Stereo)	Boxing (Live)	Silk Stalkings "Cadillac Jack" (R) (In Stereo)	Renegade	Magnum, P.I. "Faith and Begonah" (In Stereo)	Boxing (Live)	Silk Stalkings "Cadillac Jack" (R) (In Stereo)	Renegade	Magnum, P.I. "Faith and Begonah" (In Stereo)	Boxing (Live)	Silk Stalkings "Cadillac Jack" (R) (In Stereo)	Renegade	Magnum, P.I. "Faith and Begonah" (In Stereo)	Boxing (Live)
WWPC	Star Trek: The Next Generation	"Tornados" (1996, Drama) Storm chasers race a helicopter to test scientific equipment.	News	Cheers (In Stereo)	In the Heat of the Night "The Rabbit" (In Stereo)	Simon & Simon "Our Fair City"	Paid Program								
RPM	Stanley Cup Playoffs: Conference Quarterfinal Game 4 - Teams to Be Announced (Time Approximate)	Baseball	Sportscenter	Baseball	Sportscenter	Baseball	Sportscenter	Baseball	Sportscenter	Baseball	Sportscenter	Baseball	Sportscenter	Baseball	Sportscenter
ESPN2	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced (Time Approximate)

THURSDAY EVENING APRIL 24, 1997

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CBS	CBS Evening News	Highway Patrol	Diagnosis Murder "Physician, Murder Thyself" (In Stereo)	Murder "The Merry Widow Murders" (In Stereo)	Diagnosis Murder "The Merry Widow Murders" (In Stereo)	48 Hours (In Stereo)	News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Late Show (In Stereo)	Late Late Show (In Stereo)	Access Hollywood	Gordon Elliott			
WTAE	Inside Edition	Entertainment Tonight	High Incident (In Stereo)	Diagnosis Murder "The Merry Widow Murders" (In Stereo)	Diagnosis Murder "The Merry Widow Murders" (In Stereo)	48 Hours (In Stereo)	News	Nightline	American Journal	Rolonda	Jerry Springer				
CBS	Home Improvement	Step by Step (In Stereo)	Diagnosis Murder "Physician, Murder Thyself" (In Stereo)	Diagnosis Murder "The Merry Widow Murders" (In Stereo)	Diagnosis Murder "The Merry Widow Murders" (In Stereo)	48 Hours (In Stereo)	News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Late Late Show (In Stereo)	Chord System	CBS Up to the Minute				
NBC	Jeopardy!	Cash Flow	Friends (In Stereo)	Suddenly Susan (In Stereo)	Seinfeld "Yada Yada" (In Stereo)	Fired Up (In Stereo)	ER "Calling Dr. Hathaway" (In Stereo)	News	Tonight Show (In Stereo)	Late Night (In Stereo)	Later Cindy Crawford	Extra			
WGN	Family Matters "Dudes"	Bzzz! (In Stereo)	Major League Baseball: Pittsburgh Pirates at Chicago Cubs. From Wrigley Field. (In Stereo Live)					News (In Stereo)	Honey-mooners	In the Heat of the Night "Time's Long Shadow" (In Stereo)	Simon & Simon "Sister"	Paid Program			
NBC	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy!	Friends (In Stereo)	Suddenly Susan (In Stereo)	Seinfeld "Yada Yada" (In Stereo)	Fired Up (In Stereo)	ER "Calling Dr. Hathaway" (In Stereo)	News	Tonight Show (In Stereo)	Late Night (In Stereo)	Later Cindy Crawford	NBC News Nightline			
TBS	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live)														
FOX	Home Improvement	Seinfeld "The Soup Nazi" (In Stereo)	Martin (In Stereo)	Living Single (In Stereo)	New York Undercover "Vendetta" (In Stereo)	News	Mad About You	Roseanne "Follow the Son"	Fama's Family	Extra (In Stereo)	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Geraldo Rivera	
NBC	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	Friends (In Stereo)	Suddenly Susan (In Stereo)	Seinfeld "Yada Yada" (In Stereo)	Fired Up (In Stereo)	ER "Calling Dr. Hathaway" (In Stereo)	News (In Stereo)	Tonight Show (In Stereo)	Late Night (In Stereo)	Later Cindy Crawford	Jenny Jones (In Stereo)			
NBC	Seinfeld "The Soup Nazi" (In Stereo)	Mad About You	Friends (In Stereo)	Suddenly Susan (In Stereo)	Seinfeld "Yada Yada" (In Stereo)	Fired Up (In Stereo)	ER "Calling Dr. Hathaway" (In Stereo)	News (In Stereo)	Tonight Show (In Stereo)	Late Night (In Stereo)	Later Cindy Crawford	NBC News Nightline			
PBS	Newshour With Jim Lehrer	Antiques Roadshow "Durham, North Carolina" (In Stereo)	Roadshow "Durham, North Carolina" (In Stereo)	Mystery! "Cadillac Jack" (In Stereo)	Mystery! "Cadillac Jack" (In Stereo)	Barry Goldwater	Charlie Rose (In Stereo)	(Off Air)							
IND	6:30/7:00 Life Lessons	Getting Together	Repeat Performance	His Place	Singles Plus	Origins	Solid Rock V.D.O. (R)	Night-songs	Night-songs	His Place	Getting Together (R)	Cope			
FAM	Waltons	"The Illusion"	Highway to Heaven "A Special Love" (In Stereo)	Rescue 911 (In Stereo)	700 Club (Progress)	Three Stooges	Carson's Comedy Classics	Carson's Comedy Classics	Paid Program	Paid Program	700 Club (Left in Progress)				
PBS	Nightly Business Report	Hidden Worlds (In Stereo)	Motor-Week (In Stereo)	Mystery! "Cadillac Jack" (In Stereo)	Vicar of Dibley "Animals"	Independent Eye	Charlie Rose (In Stereo)	Bloomberg TV	(Off Air)						
NASH	Dukes of Hazzard "The Great Santa Claus Chase"	Today's Country (In Stereo)	Dove Awards The Gospel Music Association presents the 28th annual awards ceremony. (In Stereo Live)	Dove Awards The Gospel Music Association presents the 28th annual awards ceremony. (In Stereo Live)	Dove Awards The Gospel Music Association presents the 28th annual awards ceremony. (In Stereo Live)	Dove Awards The Gospel Music Association presents the 28th annual awards ceremony. (In Stereo Live)	Dove Awards The Gospel Music Association presents the 28th annual awards ceremony. (In Stereo Live)	Dove Awards The Gospel Music Association presents the 28th annual awards ceremony. (In Stereo Live)	Dove Awards The Gospel Music Association presents the 28th annual awards ceremony. (In Stereo Live)	Dove Awards The Gospel Music Association presents the 28th annual awards ceremony. (In Stereo Live)	Dove Awards The Gospel Music Association presents the 28th annual awards ceremony. (In Stereo Live)	Dove Awards The Gospel Music Association presents the 28th annual awards ceremony. (In Stereo Live)	Dove Awards The Gospel Music Association presents the 28th annual awards ceremony. (In Stereo Live)	Dove Awards The Gospel Music Association presents the 28th annual awards ceremony. (In Stereo Live)	Dove Awards The Gospel Music Association presents the 28th annual awards ceremony. (In Stereo Live)
MTV	Singled Out	Idiot Savants	Music Videos (In Stereo)	Yel (In Stereo)	Singled Out	Loveline (In Stereo)	Adult Video	Night	Music Videos (In Stereo)						
ESPN	Sportscenter	Stanley Cup Playoffs: Conference Quarterfinal Game 5 - Teams to Be Announced. (Time Approximate)	Baseball Tonight	Sportscenter	Baseball Tonight	Sportscenter	Baseball Tonight	Sportscenter	Baseball Tonight	Sportscenter	Baseball Tonight	Sportscenter	Baseball Tonight	Sportscenter	Baseball Tonight
KBL	Sportsbeat	Boxing: Fight Night at the Arrowhead Pond. (Live)	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News
TNT	In the Heat of the Night "Clockwork" (In Stereo)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live)
NICK	Doug (In Stereo)	Rugrats (In Stereo)	Rugrats Passover (In Stereo)	Happy Days	I Love Lucy	Be-witched	Newhart "Cats" (In Stereo)	Odd Couple	Taxi	Mary Tyler Moore	Dick Van Dyke	Bob Newhart	Rhoda	I Dream of Jeannie	Munsters
AMC	*** "Sorrowful Jones" (1949) A bookie accepts an adorable moppet as collateral on a bet.	*** "Sorrowful Jones" (1949) A bookie accepts an adorable moppet as collateral on a bet.	*** "Sorrowful Jones" (1949) A bookie accepts an adorable moppet as collateral on a bet.	*** "Sorrowful Jones" (1949) A bookie accepts an adorable moppet as collateral on a bet.	*** "Sorrowful Jones" (1949) A bookie accepts an adorable moppet as collateral on a bet.	*** "Sorrowful Jones" (1949) A bookie accepts an adorable moppet as collateral on a bet.	*** "Sorrowful Jones" (1949) A bookie accepts an adorable moppet as collateral on a bet.	*** "Sorrowful Jones" (1949) A bookie accepts an adorable moppet as collateral on a bet.	*** "Sorrowful Jones" (1949) A bookie accepts an adorable moppet as collateral on a bet.	*** "Sorrowful Jones" (1949) A bookie accepts an adorable moppet as collateral on a bet.	*** "Sorrowful Jones" (1949) A bookie accepts an adorable moppet as collateral on a bet.	*** "Sorrowful Jones" (1949) A bookie accepts an adorable moppet as collateral on a bet.	*** "Sorrowful Jones" (1949) A bookie accepts an adorable moppet as collateral on a bet.	*** "Sorrowful Jones" (1949) A bookie accepts an adorable moppet as collateral on a bet.	*** "Sorrowful Jones" (1949) A bookie accepts an adorable moppet as collateral on a bet.
DISC	Wings: The ME-135 "Ariel was a marvel of lighter design."	Wild Discovery "Grand Teton Wilderness"	Mysteri-ous "The Dark Side of the Moon"	Mysteri-ous "The Dark Side of the Moon"	Mysteri-ous "The Dark Side of the Moon"	Mysteri-ous "The Dark Side of the Moon"	Mysteri-ous "The Dark Side of the Moon"	Mysteri-ous "The Dark Side of the Moon"	Mysteri-ous "The Dark Side of the Moon"	Mysteri-ous "The Dark Side of the Moon"	Mysteri-ous "The Dark Side of the Moon"	Mysteri-ous "The Dark Side of the Moon"	Mysteri-ous "The Dark Side of the Moon"	Mysteri-ous "The Dark Side of the Moon"	Mysteri-ous "The Dark Side of the Moon"
LIFE	Intimate Portrait "Valerie Bertinelli" (R)	Unsolved Mysteries (In Stereo)	"Nurses on the Line: The Crash of Flight 1" (1993, Drama)	Lindsay Wagner. Doctors and student nurses in Mexico face a deadly fight.	Unsolved Mysteries (In Stereo)	"Nurses on the Line: The Crash of Flight 1" (1993, Drama)	Lindsay Wagner. Doctors and student nurses in Mexico face a deadly fight.	Unsolved Mysteries (In Stereo)	"Nurses on the Line: The Crash of Flight 1" (1993, Drama)	Lindsay Wagner. Doctors and student nurses in Mexico face a deadly fight.	Unsolved Mysteries (In Stereo)	"Nurses on the Line: The Crash of Flight 1" (1993, Drama)	Lindsay Wagner. Doctors and student nurses in Mexico face a deadly fight.	Unsolved Mysteries (In Stereo)	"Nurses on the Line: The Crash of Flight 1" (1993, Drama)
A&E	Law & Order "Promises to Keep" (R)	Biography "Tim Allen: Prince of Toys" (R)	Unexplained "Power of Prayer" (R)	Unexplained "Power of Prayer" (R)	Unexplained "Power of Prayer" (R)	Unexplained "Power of Prayer" (R)	Unexplained "Power of Prayer" (R)	Unexplained "Power of Prayer" (R)	Unexplained "Power of Prayer" (R)	Unexplained "Power of Prayer" (R)	Unexplained "Power of Prayer" (R)	Unexplained "Power of Prayer" (R)	Unexplained "Power of Prayer" (R)	Unexplained "Power of Prayer" (R)	Unexplained "Power of Prayer" (R)
TOON	Garfield-Friend	Scoby Doo	Bugs & Daffy	Jetsons	Tom and Jerry	Speed Racer	Jonny Quest	Rocky Bullwinkle	Father-Home	Jetsons	Scoby Doo	2 Stupid Dogs	Bugs & Daffy	Jetsons	Scoby Doo
CNBC	Money Club	Steals and Deals	Hardball	Rivera Live	Late Night	Charles Grodin	Rivera Live	Late Night	Charles Grodin	Rivera Live	Late Night	Charles Grodin	Rivera Live	Late Night	Charles Grodin
SCIFI	Quantum Leap (In Stereo)	Sequest DSV "White Song" (R)	Forever Knight "Baby, Baby" (In Stereo)	Sci-Fi Buzz	Inside Space	Quantum Leap (In Stereo)	Sequest DSV "White Song" (R)	Forever Knight "Baby, Baby" (In Stereo)	Sci-Fi Buzz	Inside Space	Quantum Leap (In Stereo)	Sequest DSV "White Song" (R)	Forever Knight "Baby, Baby" (In Stereo)	Sci-Fi Buzz	Inside Space
USA	Highlander: The Series "The Last of the Mohicans" (In Stereo)	Murder, She Wrote "Runs in the Family" (In Stereo)	Silk Stalkings "Serve and Protect" (In Stereo)	Renegade "Munsters" (In Stereo)	Magnum, P.I. "On Face Value" (In Stereo)	Boxing "Fight Night at the Arrowhead Pond" (Live)	Silk Stalkings "Serve and Protect" (In Stereo)	Renegade "Munsters" (In Stereo)	Magnum, P.I. "On Face Value" (In Stereo)	Boxing "Fight Night at the Arrowhead Pond" (Live)	Silk Stalkings "Serve and Protect" (In Stereo)	Renegade "Munsters" (In Stereo)	Magnum, P.I. "On Face Value" (In Stereo)	Boxing "Fight Night at the Arrowhead Pond" (Live)	Silk Stalkings "Serve and Protect" (In Stereo)
WWPC	Star Trek: The Next Generation	Martin (In Stereo)	New York Undercover	News	Cheers	In the Heat of the Night	Simon & Simon	"Our Fair City"	Paid Program						
ESPN2	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Time Approximate)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Time Approximate)

WEDNESDAY EVENING APRIL 23, 1997

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00
CBS	CBS Evening News	Highway Patrol	Nanny (In Stereo)	*** "Presumed Innocent" (1990, Drama) Ford, Brian Dennehy, Paul Jule. A married prosecutor goes on trial for his own murder. (In Stereo)	News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Late Late Show (In Stereo)	Access Hollywood	Gordon Elliott Reunions						
WTAE	Inside Edition	Entertainment Tonight	Grace Under Fire	Coach (In Stereo)	Drew Carey (In Stereo)	Son City "Kiss Me, Stupid" (In Stereo)	Primetime Live	News	Nightline	American Journal	Rolonda	Jerry Springer			
CBS	Home Improvement	Step by Step (In Stereo)	Nanny (In Stereo)	*** "Presumed Innocent" (1990, Drama) Ford, Brian Dennehy, Paul Jule. A married prosecutor goes on trial for his own murder. (In Stereo)	News	Late Show (In Stereo)	Late Late Show (In Stereo)	News (R)	CBS 10 to the Minute						
NBC	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	Academy of Country Music Awards Hosts: Jeff Foxworthy, Crystal Bernard and George Strait. (In Stereo Live)		News	Tonight Show (In Stereo)	Late Night (In Stereo)	Later Cindy Crawford	Extra						
WGN	Family Matters (In Stereo)	Bzzz! (In Stereo)	Sister, Sister (In Stereo)	Smart Guy "Lab Rats" (In Stereo)	Jamie Foxx (In Stereo)	Wayans Bros. (In Stereo)	News Steve Sanders, Allison Payne. (In Stereo)	WeeGey "Let Them Eat Cake" (In Stereo)	In the Heat of the Night "Hard Choices" (In Stereo)	Simon & Simon "Enter the Jaguar"					Paid Program
NBC	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy!	Academy of Country Music Awards Hosts: Jeff Foxworthy, Crystal Bernard and George Strait. (In Stereo Live)		News	Tonight Show (In Stereo)	Late Night (In Stereo)	Later Cindy Crawford	NBC News Nightside						
TBS	Funnies Home Videos	Funnies Home Videos	*** "Predator" (1987, Science Fiction) Arnold Schwarzenegger, Carl Weathers, Epidio Carrillo. A team is stalked by an intergalactic trophy hunter.		*** "Predator 2" (1990, Science Fiction) Danny Glover, Gary Busey. Police officers lock horns with a bloodthirsty alien.		*** "Predator" (1987, Science Fiction) Arnold Schwarzenegger. A team is stalked by an intergalactic trophy hunter.								
FOX	Home Improvement	Seinfeld "The Yoko" (In Stereo)	Beverly Hills, 90210 "I Only Have Eyes for You" (In Stereo)	Pacific Palisades "The Chair Woman" (In Stereo)	News	Mad About You (In Stereo)	Roseanne "Sleeper" (In Stereo)	Mama's Family	Extra (In Stereo)	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Geraldo Rivera	
NBC	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	Academy of Country Music Awards Hosts: Jeff Foxworthy, Crystal Bernard and George Strait. (In Stereo Live)		News (In Stereo)	Tonight Show (In Stereo)	Late Night (In Stereo)	Later Cindy Crawford	Jenny Jones (In Stereo)						
NBC	Seinfeld "The Library" (In Stereo)	Mad About You (In Stereo)	Academy of Country Music Awards Hosts: Jeff Foxworthy, Crystal Bernard and George Strait. (In Stereo Live)		News	Tonight Show (In Stereo)	Late Night (In Stereo)	Later Cindy Crawford	NBC News Nightside						
PBS	Newshour With Jim Lehrer	Metropolitan Opera Presents "Andrea Chenier" Pavarotti sings the title role in "Andrea Chenier." (In Stereo)	Children With a Dream	Charlie Rose (In Stereo)	(Off Air)										
IND	6:30/7:00 Club	Life Lessons	Getting Together (R)	Music That Ministers	His Place (Live)	Ariane Williams	Portrait of Marriage	CCM-TV (In Stereo)	Night-songs	Night-songs	His Place (R)	Getting Together (R)	Cope		
FAM	Waltons "The Captive"	Highway to Heaven "Friends" (In Stereo)	Rescue 911 (In Stereo)	700 Club (Left in Progress)	Three Stooges	Carson's Comedy Classics	Carson's Comedy Classics	Paid Program	Paid Program	700 Club (Left in Progress)					
PBS	Nightly Business Report	Velvet	Metropolitan Opera Presents "Andrea Chenier" Pavarotti sings the title role in "Andrea Chenier." (In Stereo)	Children With a Dream	Charlie Rose (In Stereo)	(Off Air)									
NASH	Dukes of Hazzard "The Hazzardville Horror" (In Stereo)	Life and Times of Jimmie Rodgers (In Stereo)	Prime Time Country (R) (In Stereo)	Not Fade Away: Remembering Buddy Holly (R)	Dallas "Eye of the Beholder" (In Stereo)	Dukes of Hazzard "The Hazzardville Horror" (In Stereo)	Prime Time Country (R) (In Stereo)	Not Fade Away: B. Holly							
MTV	Singled Out	Idiot Savants	Music Videos (In Stereo)	Real World	Jenny McCarthy	Singled Out	Loveline (In Stereo)	Adult Videos	Night Jams	Music Videos (In Stereo)					
ESPN	Sports-center	Major League Baseball: Teams to Be Announced. (Live)	Major League Baseball: Teams to Be Announced. (Live)												
KBL	Major League Baseball: Philadelphia Phillies at Pittsburgh Pirates. From Three Rivers Stadium. (Live)														
TNT	In the Heat of the Night "Accused" (In Stereo)	*** "Who's the Man?" (1993, Comedy-Drama) Ed O'Neil, Doctor Dre. Two rookie police officers must find their boss's killer.													
NICK	Kids' Choice Awards	Rugrats (In Stereo)	Happy Days (In Stereo)	Love (In Stereo)	Be-witched	Newhart	Odd Couple	Taxi "The Reluctant Fighter" (In Stereo)	Dick Van Dyke	Bob Newhart	Rhonda	I Dream of Jeannie	Paid Program		
AHC	*** "Goldstone Purchase" (1941) A Northern reporter probes shady New Orleans politics.	Remember WENN	*** "Who's the Man?" (1993, Comedy-Drama) Ed O'Neil, Doctor Dre. Two rookie police officers must find their boss's killer.												
DISC	Wings "Strange Shapers" (R)	Wild Discovery "Yellowstone to Yukon - The Wild Heart"	Discover Magazine "See How They Run" (R)	Great Adventures of the 20th Century The Klondike gold rush.	Wild Discovery "Yellowstone to Yukon - The Wild Heart" (R)	Discover Magazine "See How They Run" (R)	Great Adventures of the 20th Century The Klondike gold rush.	Movie Magic (R)							
LIFE	Intimate Portrait "Vanessa Williams" (R)	Unsolved Mysteries (In Stereo)	*** "Secrets" (1995, Drama) Veronica Hamel, Richard Jule, Julie Huns. A 13-year-old warns the truth about her origins.	American Justice "Kidnapped" (R)	20th Century "The Terror of Tomatoes"	Homicide: Life on the Street "And the Rookiest Dead Glare"	Unsolved Mysteries (In Stereo)	Sisters (In Stereo)	Designing Women (In Stereo)						
ASE	Law & Order "Guardian" (R)	Biography "Audie Murphy: Great American Hero" (R)													
TOON	Garfield-Doo	Scooby Doo	Scooby Doo	Dexter's Lab	Sledge-Possum	O Canada	Toon-Heads	Scooby Doo	Jonny Quest	Rocky-Bullwin	Father-Home	Jetsons	Scooby Doo	2 Stupid Dogs	Bugs & Daffy
CNBC	Money Club	Steals and Deals	Equal Time	Hardball	Rivers Live	Late Night (In Stereo)	Charles Grodin	Rivers Live (R)	Charles Grodin (R)	Forever Knight "Crazy Love" (In Stereo)					
SCFI	Quantum Leap (In Stereo)	Sequest DSV (In Stereo)	Forever Knight "Crazy Love" (In Stereo)	Sightings (R) (In Stereo)	Quantum Leap (In Stereo)	Sequest DSV (R) (In Stereo)	Forever Knight "Crazy Love" (In Stereo)	Sightings (In Stereo)							
USA	Highlander: The Series "The Innocent" (In Stereo)	Murder, She Wrote "Old Habits Die" (In Stereo)	*** "Working Girl" (1988, Comedy-Drama) Melinda Griffith, Hanson Ford. Signatory Weaver. An ambitious island secretary moves up the ranks. (In Stereo)	News	Cheers (In Stereo)	Odd Couple	Paid Program	H Plus Italy	Rick Lake	News (R)					
WWPC	Star Trek: The Next Generation	Beverly Hills, 90210 (In Stereo)	Pacific Palisades "The Other Woman"												
ESPN	RPM Night	Stanley Cup Playoffs: Conference Semifinals	Quarterfinal Game 4 - Teams to Be Announced. (Live)												

GCC Wildlife Club Spends Time With Arizona Wildlife

"It was our best trip yet," said Kevin Dodge, associate professor of wildlife and biology and director of Garrett Community College's Natural Resources and Wildlife Technology program, about the Wildlife Club's recent trip to Arizona. Each year on spring break students in the club join Dodge and Dana Shimrock, who teaches a course in the program, on a tour of distant states where they observe different habitats and perform some environmental service.

This year the group spent 10 days traveling through Arizona where they camped, hiked through canyons, climbed mountains, and observed diverse kinds of vegetation, birds, and animals. The group spent time both in desert and in some of the "sky island" mountain ranges of the southeast part of the state.

After flying to Phoenix, the group rented a van and drove to Picacho Peak State Park where they camped the first night. From there they visited the Arizona-Sonoran Desert Museum, then drove to the Aravaipa Canyon Preserve near Klondike where they camped as guests of the Arizona Chapter of Nature Conservancy and worked on exotic vegetation control, uprooting, and herbiciding tree-of-heaven.

As they hiked along the streams of Turkey Creek Canyon and Oak Grove Canyon, they saw desert bighorn sheep, coati, and the Mexican spotted owl, along with numerous evergreen oaks and a variety of spring wild flowers. At night, the area afforded great views of the Hale-Bopp comet, according to Dodge.

For a bit of the history of the Old West, they drove through Tombstone and visited Boot Hill cemetery. From there they drove to the Ciricahua Mountains in the southeast corner of Arizona where they saw pronghorns and stayed for three nights in a lodge at the Southwestern Research Station, a field station of the American Museum of Natural History, in Cave Creek Canyon. From this location

they observed the intermingling of plants and animals from Mexico and the Rocky Mountains at elevations of between 3,000 and 9,800 feet, hiked and climbed mountains, and saw peccary, Coues white-tailed deer, hummingbirds, and a variety of lizards. Some of the group climbed to the top of a 390 foot-waterfall, while others drove up to the 9,000-foot Barfoot Lookout for what Dodge described as an "incredible view."

"That part of the trip was very scenic, educational, and relaxing," Dodge said. "Students had the opportunity to explore the areas they found most interesting."

The next stop for the group was the Riparian National Conservation Area on the San Pedro River, where the Bureau of Land Management's management of grazing along the river has resulted in dramatic regrowth of streamside vegetation and the return of many species of birds and other wildlife.

The group hiked in the Ramsey Canyon Preserve in the Huachuca Mountains near Sierra Vista and through Garden Canyon in Fort Huachuca where they saw Native American pictographs on the rock walls.

The group spent the last three nights in Catalina State Park northwest of Tucson. They hiked through the stream in the Aravaipa Canyon, where rocky walls are the home to peregrine falcons and whose stream bed is lined with cacti, sycamores, walnut, and ash trees. One of the highlights of the trip occurred when a few members of the group had a close-up view of a clash between two male desert bighorn sheep.

On the last day of their Arizona travels, the Garrett group drove up the Catalina Highway to 9,000-foot Mt. Lemmon, from the Sonoran Desert to ponderosa pine-Douglas fir-white fir forests.

Commenting on the educational benefit of the trip, Dodge said, "We saw diverse kinds of vegetation, 115 kinds of birds, and a variety of different mammals, many of which our students would never have the opportunity to see in the east."



GCC STUDENTS VISIT ARIZONA - Members of the Garrett Community College Wildlife Club recently spent their spring break on a special trip to the wilds of Arizona. Pictured from left are: Justin Oursler, Rob Beckman, Chris Sanner, Greg Greiser, Larissa Cathell, Terri Belasco, Bobby Selby, Dana Shimrock, and club advisor Kevin Dodge. See story for details. Photo by John Landis.

Students who accompanied Dodge and Ms. Shimrock were Rob Beckman, Terri Belasco, Larissa Cathell, Greg Greiser, John Landis, Justin Oursler, Chris Sanner, and Bobby Selby.

Training For EMS Units Offered In Safety Seat Use

Interested members of fire departments and rescue squads will have the opportunity to participate in a training program on child safety seat inspection. The Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Service Systems (MIEMSS) Region I Office and the health department highway safety divisions of Allegany and Garrett counties will co-sponsor this class.

According to information released by the MIEMSS, up to 90 percent of child safety seats are not used correctly and may not protect a child in a crash.

As part of Emergency Medical Services Week, MIEMSS will conduct child safety seat inspections throughout the region. Emergency service volunteers will be needed to help perform these safety checks.

The training will be held April 27, 6:30-9:30 p.m., at the WMRTC, Cresaptown, and on May 5, 6:30-9:30 p.m., at Garrett Community College.

Anyone wishing further information on continuing education units or to register for the training may call MIEMSS Region Office at 895-5934 or 746-8636.

Southern Middle Honor Students Are Designated

The third term honor roll for Southern Middle School was released this week by John A. Rickman, principal.

Students named to the A honor roll for having earned at least 90 percent in all subjects are as follows:

Grade Six
Megan Bernard, Justin Broadwater, Brianna Byers, Brian Crabtree, Cassie Gregory, Christina Hamilton, Rachel Hixon, Ashleigh James, Stephen Knepp, Christopher Lantz, Kristi Love, Matthew Lucas, Britany Naylor, Holly Reese, Kristen Rollman, Matthew Stephens, Dennis Tressler, Ashley VanMeter, and Kelly Wade.

Grade Seven
Chase Ashby, Cambria Baylor, Brooke Blue, Jennifer Bosley, Daniel Cathell, Aaron Gregg, Lawanda Harvey, Ashley Hershman, Jennifer Hickman, Laura Hollingsworth, Sarah Pysell, Katie Richter, Christy Sherwood, Kimberly Thayer, and Molly Thayer.

Grade Eight
Eric Archer, Justin DiSimone, Jared Fike, Nathan Gregg, Elizabeth McDonald, Jacque McKenzie, Amanda Pagenhardt, Bryan Panther, Adam Schoch, Keith Steyer, and Russell Strubin.

Students named to the regular honor roll for earning at least 80 percent in all subjects are as follows:

Grade Six
Britney Ashby, Andrea Beachy, A.J. Bender, Andy Bittinger, Robert Broadwater, Britni Brown, Neil Cardiff, Emily Cosner, Jenna Culp, Jared Custer, Alisa Davis, Anthony DeLauder, Chase Dumire, Melissa Durst, Daniel Evans, Melissa Ferguson, Melissa Flanagan, Benjamin Friend, Britney Friend, Billie Gentry, Eli Green, Andrew Hill, Erica Irwin, Amanda Jenkins, Jason Johnson, Michael Kent, Sarah Knox, Robert Kutchman, Amanda Lambert, Joann Lewis, Adam Lipscomb, Theresa Lucas, Christopher McGinnis, Joshua McKnight, Adam Miller, Guy Miller, Sarah Moore, Klayt Morfoot, James Mou, Jennifer

Murphy, Stephanie Niner, Benjamin Peracchio, Amanda Ray, Chelsea Remley, Brandon Rohrbaugh, Jessica Sharon, Erika Steyer, Christopher Stover, Nathan Swartzentruber, Charles Turner, Crystal Uphold, William Watson, and Stephanie Weeks.

Grade Seven
Robert Barnard, Erica Blamble, Matthew Burner, Megan Burner, James Carpenter, Edward Clemons, Shayla Collins, Kyle Conroy, Lonnie Corby, Andrea Coughlin, Maria Dinick, Christopher English-Ramsay, Brian Fike, Jennifer Filsinger,

Matthew Frederick, Suzanne Gilbert, Cody Gilpin, Angelina Giotfely, Kevin Goralski, Justin Gregory, Sarah Guthrie, Andrew Harvey, April Harvey, Bryan Hinebaugh, Kristi Hinebaugh, Stacy Holler, Tiffany Hove, Ashley Keesy, Jodi Kulak, Brett Lambert, Kenzi Lee, Arthur Lemley,

Ashley Liller, Brandie Long, Tyler Lucas, Emily Lynch, Rebekah Martin, Regis Marucci, Christopher Miller, Daniel Mitchell, Crystal Moats, Kody Moore, Jonathan Neville, Daniel O'Brien, Bradley Palmer, Chad Panther, D.R. Parsons, Lindsey Perry, Ricky Reams, Amanda Reekart, Amanda Savage,

Miranda Savage, Bryan Schwalm, Sheena Shiflett, Miriam Sincell, Jessica Stiles, Falon Stutzman, Allen Sweitzer, Megan Teets, Kimberly Teter, Raymond Tichinel, Alison Ullino, Marianne Unger, Chelsea Wall, Darrin Wildesen, David Wolf, and Jocelyn Wotring.

Grade Eight
Marcia Ahern, Beth Ashby, Elizabeth Baker, Elisa Beck, Amanda Beckman, April Bernard, Jamie Bosley, Megan Bowers, Heather Brennenman, Brian Cathell, Stephanie Cowgill, Jeanine Cummings, Stephen Eiswert, Ryan Ewing, Nicholas Fogle, Crystal Gaitner, Karen Gaitner, Haley Gillespie, Larry Gordon, Matthew Gordon, Andrew Grant, Brandon Heselbach, Maria Hines, Eric Jacoby, Laura Johnson, Jeremy Kisser, Rhonda Moreland, James Preston, Christopher Remley, Rebecca Rinchart, Crystal Romesburg, Adam Sanders, Kristina Santos, Michael Satur-

day, Andrea Savage, Joshua Sharon, Jamie Shiflett, Audrey Shipe, Caleb Shomo, Rachel Sincell, Charles Sisler, Justin Slinger, Chelsea Stuck, Samantha Suder, Mark Tasker, Sarah Teets, Nicole Timmerman, Faith Welch, Robert Witt, Lori Woods, and Lisa Yommer.

Methodist Church Offers Mountain Meal And Music

A Mountain Church Meal will be offered on Saturday, April 26, from 4 to 7 p.m. by St. Paul's United Methodist Church, Oakland.

Music will be provided by members of Hammers 'n Strings and Totos Menchaca. The menu will include soup beans and ham, corn bread, home fries, applesauce, dessert and drink. Cost for the dinner is \$5.00 for adults and \$2.50 for children 10 and under. Carry-outs will be available.

Proceeds from the meal will benefit special church projects. For more information call 301-334-2391.

Children's Chorus Will Perform At Frostburg State

The Frederick Children's Chorus will perform on Friday, April 25, at 7:30 p.m. in the Pealer Recital Hall of the Frostburg State University Performing Arts Center. This event is free and open to the public.

"Voices of a Nation" is the theme of the concert. Children and adults alike will hear familiar songs as well as more diverse selections. Songs from Africa, Ireland, and Japan, as well as the United States, will be performed.

A piece that was commissioned in 1995 to commemorate the tenth anniversary of the chorus will be included in the program. It is a setting by American composer Audrey Snyder of a poem by Langston Hughes titled *In Time of Silver Rain*.

The conclusion of the program will be a selection of traditional American frontier songs and tunes from movie westerns. This part of the show features costumes and a set of the Old West.

The chorus is under the direction of Judith Dubose, its founder and director since 1985. She is currently a music teacher in Montgomery County. The accompanist is pianist Christie Stein, also a Montgomery County music teacher.

The Frederick Children's Chorus is made up of singers age 7 to 17. It currently



LAST GENERATION - Pastor David McKinney invites everyone to worship through the music of Last Generation on April 27, at 7 p.m. at the Cherry Grove Church of the Brethren. The church is located in Grantsville on Route 219 (Salisbury Road), one mile north of Route 40.

has 200 members who enter through the Training Chorus and study for a year before being considered for the Advanced Chorus. The group has performed with the Maryland Lyric Opera, the Frederick Choral, and the Frederick Symphony, and has earned superior ratings in adjudicated competitions in Williamsburg, Va., Hershey, Pa., and New York City.

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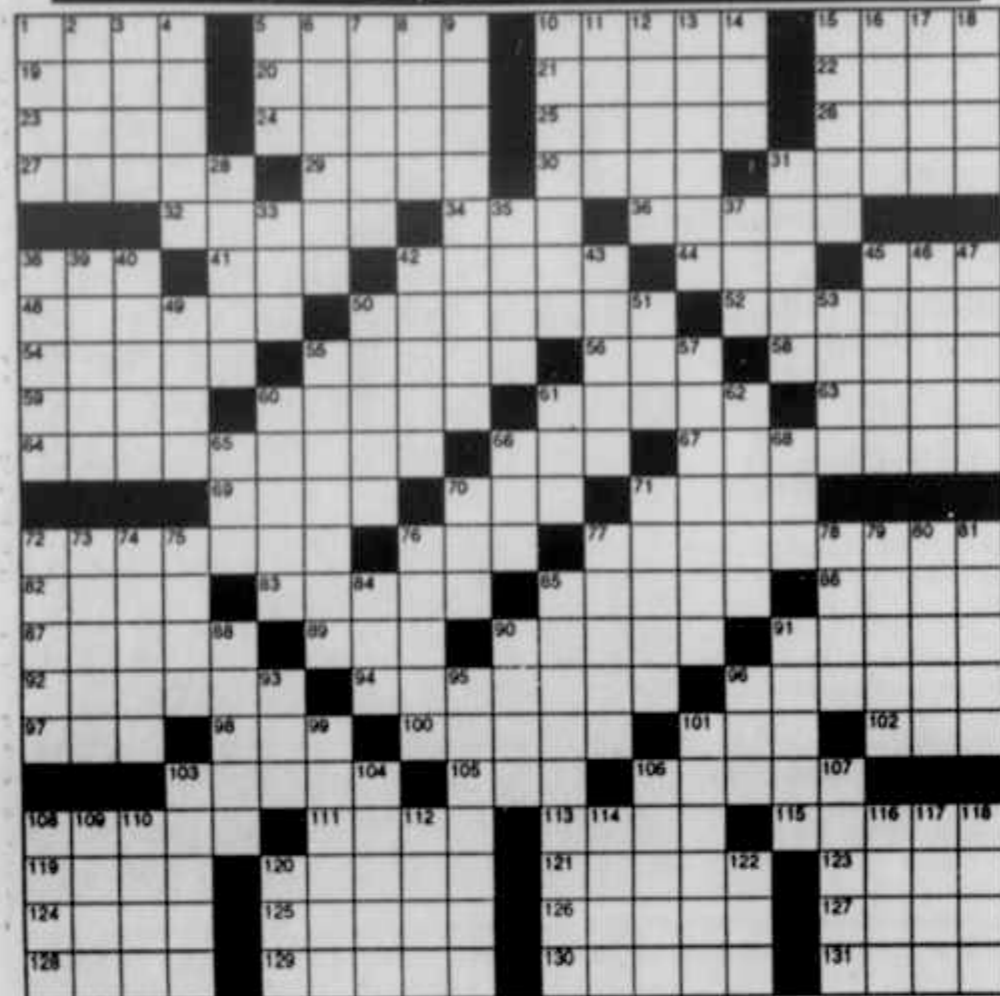
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15 Immense
19 He's legendarily cruel
20 Luncheonette lure
21 Bellamy or Kramden
22 Baseball family name
23 Uly's cousin
24 Spring, in a way
25 "Kim" setting
26 — Bator
27 Incense
29 Bjorn's opponent
30 Forest beauty
31 "Songs of Innocence" poet
32 Gramps' glasses
33 "Mayberry"
34 — Morocco's capital
35 Pater
36 Jennings' network
37 Mauna
38 Prepare the champagne
40 — Gatos, Calif.
45 Initials of interest
48 Swami's chapeau
50 Does a snow job?
52 Consomme's cousin
54 Pick up the check
55 Krill connoisseur
56 — Blue? (29 song)
58 Play ground?
59 OPEC member
60 Alvin's add classic
61 Stradivari's teacher
63 Vigoda and Burrows
64 Spring, in a way
66 Spring, in a way
67 Spring, in a way
69 — "Shadows" of old TV
70 Wide wisdom
71 He was in tents
72 Actor Granger
76 Spring, in a way
77 Spring, in a way
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83 Savalas role
85 Conflagration
86 Pianist Gilles
87 Terrier type
89 Be too encouraging?
90 Portrait painter
91 Shearer of "The Red Shoes"
92 "My Antonia" author
94 Dumps on Easter purchase
97 Language suffix
98 Catch a crook
100 Hurried
101 Bleak critique
102 Wordsworth work
103 Blessed sound?
105 Craving
106 Leading man?
108 Small drum
111 Egg on
113 Neck part
115 Entice
119 Prepare to fly of old TV
120 Gold brick?
121 Spring, in a way
123 Swerve
124 Actor Granger
125 Barely there
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127 Sicilian smoker
128 Trick
129 Richards of tennis

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2 Stare salaciously
3 Driving need, to Nicklaus
4 Yorkshire city
5 Brit. flier
6 Beethoven symphony
7 Charon's customers
8 Atlanta arena
9 Spring, in a way
10 Flapjack fryer
11 Penny or Primrose
12 More experienced
13 Spring, in a way
14 — Na Na
15 — breve
17 Drench
18 Adjust a cello
20 Tomatoes' sound
31 Foundation
33 A billion years
35 — Easy
37 Newhart or Mackie
38 Tall story?
39 Pack animal
40 Type of sauce or soda
42 Sing in church
43 Domesticated guano
45 Jordan's only seaport
46 Northwestern sound
47 Singin' blues
48 Bate noire
49 Remora's host
51 Mini, to Macbeth
53 Getz or Musil
55 "The Age of Innocence" author
57 List
60 Burning bit
61 Likely
62 Persona
65 Dentists' org.
66 Mini-mouthful
68 Jackie's husband
70 Pan for Yan
71 College exams
72 Pizza piece
73 Mr. Bulbs of literature
74 Upper crust
75 Laundry
76 He's horrible, comically
77 Chan's portrayer
78 Tetra type
79 Kind of acid
80 Too pooped to pop
81 Raise spirits?
84 Bread spread
85 Spring, in a way
88 Ergo
90 Mammy
91 Volium's prop
91 "The Waterlilies" artist
93 Super Bowl shout
95 Baby's bundle
98 Crank's comment
99 Spring, in a way
101 False start?
103 Spring, in a way
104 Biggs' instrument
106 In a stew
107 Take much delight
108 Leading player
109 Fanned orca
110 Coalition
112 Used up
114 Disoriented
116 Apportion
117 Elizabeth of "La Bamba"
118 "The Parent"
120 Leb. neighbor
122 Basic sound?

Solution next week

This Week In History

On April 18, 1775, Paul Revere and William Dawes rode out that night to alert patriots that the British were on their way to Concord, Mass., to destroy arms ... April 19, 1775, the Battle of Lexington and Concord took place; the Minutemen lost eight men while the British took 273 casualties ... April 14, 1861, the Confederates captured Ft. Sumter in Charleston, S.C. ... April 15, 1861, President Lincoln called for 75,000 volunteers to join the Army ... April 19, 1861, President Lincoln blockaded southern ports, cutting off vital exports and aid ... April 14, 1865, President Lincoln was assassinated by John Wilkes Booth in Ford's Theater, Washington D.C. ... April 18, 1865, General J.E. Johnston surrendered 31,200 men to General Sherman at Durham Station, N.C. ... April 14, 1894, Thomas Edison's kinesiograph (motion pictures) was given its first public showing, having been invented in 1887 ... April 18-19, 1906, an earthquake and subsequent fire in San Francisco left 503 people dead and \$350 million in damages ... April 15, 1920, Nicola Sacco, 29, a shoe factory employee and radical agitator, and Bartolomeo Vanzetti, 32, a fish peddler and anarchist, were accused of killing two men in a Massachusetts payroll holdup ... April 17, 1961, Cuban exiles, trained, armed, and directed by the U.S., invaded Cuba's "Bay of Pigs" in an attempt to overthrow the regime of premier Fidel Castro, but failed ... April 15, 1972, the U.S. resumed bombing Hanoi and Haiphong after a four-year lull in retaliation for the North Vietnamese attacks across the demilitarized zone ... April 18, 1978, the U.S. Senate voted to turn over the Panama Canal to Panama on December 31, 1999 ... April 20, 1983, President Reagan signed a compromise, bipartisan bill designed to rescue the Social Security system from bankruptcy ... April 17, 1991, the Dow Jones Industrial Average finished above 3000 for the first time, closing at 3004.46 ... April 17, 1993, a federal jury found two Los Angeles police officers, Sgt. Stacey Koon and Officer Laurence Powell, guilty of violating the civil rights of motorist Rodney King in 1991 ... April 19, 1993, a 51-day siege of the Branch Davidian compound by federal agents ended when armored vehicles pumped tear gas into it; shortly after noon, the compound was leveled by fire, leaving about 80 cult members dead.

AN AMERICAN HERO
by Dr. Robert B. Pamplin, Jr.
and Gary K. Eisler

RALPH BUNCHE

Ralph Bunche may have been born to a poor, black family in Detroit, but through his work as the top American at the United Nations and the first black to win the Nobel Peace Prize, he became, as one writer put it, "a black without color and an American who belonged to all the nations."

Bunche was born in 1904 to a musician mother and a barber father. But his mother was ill, and when Bunche was 10, the family moved to New Mexico to give her a better climate. Three years later, however, both parents died. Bunche then went to live with his maternal grandmother in Los Angeles.

He graduated from high school as class valedictorian and from UCLA summa cum laude. He was also gifted in sports, starring on baseball, basketball and football teams. He did well in debate and oratory — skills which would serve him well later in life.

Following graduate work at Harvard, Bunche worked with Swedish sociologist Gunnar Myrdal on a book on U.S. race relations — a work that almost got both of them lynched twice. But the experience taught Bunche the value of hope.

He needed that optimism. Bunche was one of the authors of the United Nations Charter and eventually the highest ranking American in that organization. He wound up in the middle of one of history's most intractable conflicts — the Arab-Israeli war.

When the Jewish state proclaimed its independence in 1948, its Arab neighbors sought to destroy it and attacked. Bunche was credited for crafting the armistice agreement between the warring parties, for which he received the Nobel Peace Prize.

He also helped broker the peace-keeping force following the 1956 Sinai conflict. Bunche said: "I have a deep-seated bias against racial and religious intolerance. I have a bias against racial and religious bigotry. I have a bias against war, a bias for peace. I have a bias which leads me to believe that no problem in human relations is ever insoluble."

Trivia Test

by Aaron E. Tucker

1. What two stars of "Dynasty" appeared in the 1965 movie, "Beach Blanket Bingo"?
2. What university did Burt Reynolds attend?
3. How many Academy Awards has Barbra Streisand won for Best Actress?
4. How many times has Barbra Streisand been married?
5. What profession does Jennifer Bassey's character of Marian do for a living on "All My Children"?
6. Name the three Catwoman characters on the 1960s hit TV show, "Batman".
7. Name the singer who recorded the famous 1980s hit, "High Energy"?
8. When she's in New York City, what famous building does Lauren Bacall live in?
9. What state does gossip columnist Liz Smith hail from?
10. Name Eddie Munster's real name from the hit 1960s sitcom "The Munsters"?
11. Who portrayed Richard Thomas' mother and grandmother in the critically-acclaimed PBS flick, "Andre's Mother"?
12. Where did Liza Minnelli live when she co-starred with Dudley Moore in the movie "Arthur"?
13. Name the only daytime soap opera that at one time was expanded to 90 minutes.
14. Who was the original Viki on "One Life to Live," before Erika Slezak took over the role in the 1970s?
15. What famous baseball player was the gorgeous actress Halle Barry once married to?

Antiques

Q. My sugar bowl is shaped like a cauliflower. I think it's at least 100 years old. The mark on the bottom looks like the letter "S" inside the letter "G" with some extra lines through it. Can you identify it?

A. The Griffin, Smith and Hill pottery of Phoenixville, Pa., used a mark that had the letters "S" and "H" inside a letter "G." Sometimes the words "Etruscan Pottery" appear around the mark.

Griffin, Smith and Hill worked between 1879 and 1889. Its classic cauliflower pattern was adopted from an earlier Wedgwood design.

A Griffin, Smith and Hill Cauliflower-pattern sugar bowl is worth about \$475.

Home Tips

NEAT TRICK — Besides keeping water off the bathroom floor by drying off in the shower or bathtub, keep dusting powder off the floor by applying it in the shower or tub. It can then be rinsed down the drain.

Rita K., Maplewood, N.J.

STEP BY STEP — Our wooden stairs are stained dark oak, but after many years, the stain has worn off. We knew they had to be sanded and restained, but the problem was that we used those steps all the time to go to the bedrooms.

My husband came up with a great idea! Stain every other one so the unstained steps can be used while the others are drying. The next day or so, stain the other steps. Rose C., Vienna, Va.

STIR FRYING — We do all of our stir frying in a little broth instead of oil. It has the same taste with a lot less fat! Jill R., Wagoner, S.C.

SAFETY FIRST — Hopefully, I can save someone much pain and expense. On our way to a party, I put a slow cooker of very hot soup on the floor of the car. I had done this numerous times before, but this time, I just put it down, never expecting it to tip. In other words, I was careless.

As a result, I suffered a third-degree burn on my foot. At the hospital, I was told that this happens often with hot dishes on laps, hot coffee in hand while driving and incidents such as mine.

Devise another way to carry items that are hot and think twice about driving and drinking hot beverages.

Cecilia G., Lansing, Ill.

Trivia Test Answers

Alabama Braves
Spencer 15; David Justice of the
NBC's "Another World"; 14; Gillian
er); 12; Queens, New York; 13;
mother) and Sada Thompson (mother)
Patrick; 11; Sylvia Sydney (grand-
The Dakota; 9; Texas; 10; Bunche
Meriwether; 7; Evelyn Thomas; 8;
Julie Newman; 6; Lee and Lee
actor Elliott Gould; 5; a reality; 6;
2; Florida State; 3; none; 4; once; 10;
Michael Nader and Linda Evans.

Solution to last week's Challenger

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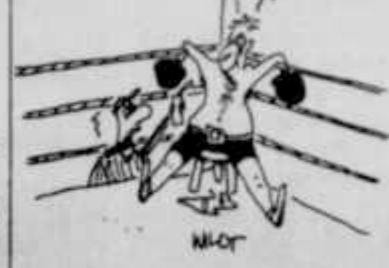
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Fill each square with a number, one through nine.
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• Vertical squares should add to totals on bottom.
• Diagonal squares through center should add to total in upper and lower right.

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Solution next week



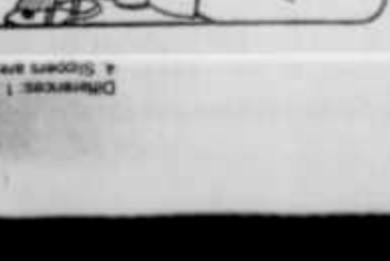
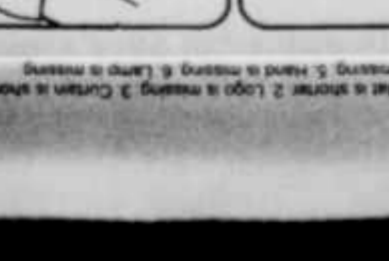
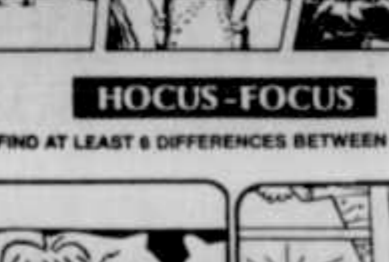
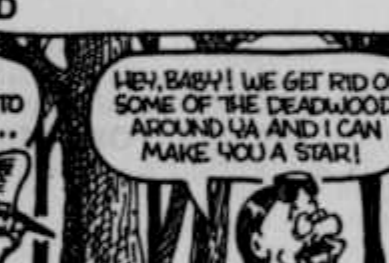
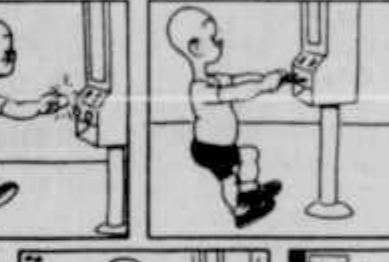
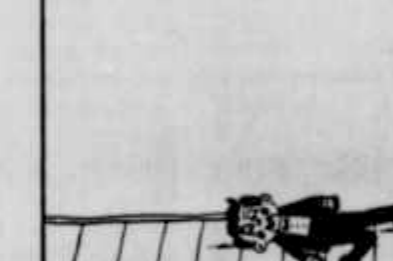
"Your mother tells me you've been whistling at girls on the street. Any luck?"



"And another thing! Stop yelling 'Ouch' every time you get hit!"



"Bonus time again, Miss Willis. Run to the bank and get me a roll of dimes."



ACHS Plans Fund-Raising Variety Show

The Accident Cultural and Historical Society, along with the Lutheran Brotherhood, will be sponsoring a variety show to be held on Saturday, May 10, at 7:30 p.m. at the Flowery Vale Senior Center. Proceeds will benefit the Independence Day Exhibition of Art (IDEA), which is a part of the Accident Fourth of July Homecoming celebration.

Persons interested in performing in the variety show may contact Diana Deal at 301-746-7222 (evenings) for more information and to obtain registration forms. Registration forms must be submitted by May 1.

Building Permit Procedure Noted By Planning Ofc.

The Garrett County Planning and Zoning Office recently implemented a county-wide building permit program for all new construction activity within Garrett County. The permit process has been initiated in anticipation of a county-wide building code set for adoption by August 1, 1997.

The permit process begins in the Planning & Zoning Office with several other county and/or state agency approvals necessary for final building permit approval. There is no fee required for a permit and building activities within municipalities do not fall under the county permit requirement. Most towns do have their own permit requirements.

Persons who have any questions concerning building permits call the Garrett County Planning & Zoning Office at (301) 334-1920.

FSU Percussion Ensemble Will Perform Sunday

The Frostburg State University Percussion Ensemble will present its spring concert on Sunday, April 20, at 3 p.m. The concert will be held in the Pealer Recital Hall in the Performing Arts Center on the FSU campus. The concert is free and open to the public.

The FSU Percussion Ensemble, under the direction of Ronald Horner, has performed throughout Maryland and Pennsylvania. The group performs a variety of compositional styles, including avant-garde, classical transcriptions, ragtime jazz, and contemporary rock. This semester's ensemble members are: Matthew Growden, John McAllister, Christopher McMahon, Joey Moore, Chris Player, Robert Romar, Kendra Sweitzer (a Southern High School graduate), and Channel Williams.

This performance will include "Ave Maria" by Sergei Rachmaninoff, arranged by Ronald Horner; the first movement of "Eine Kleine Nachtmusik" by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart, arranged by James Moore; "Toccata para Instrumentos de Percussion" by Carlos Chavez; "Ogoun Badagris" by Christopher Rouse; "Camptown Races" by Stephen Foster, arranged by Jerry Bilik; "Maple Leaf Rag" by Scott Joplin, arranged by Murray Houllif, featuring Chris McMahon on xylophone; "The Ice Cream Suite Rag" by Linda Dauwalder, featuring John McAllister on xylophone; and "Concerto for Drum Set and Percussion Ensemble" by John Beck, featuring Chris McMahon on drumset.

For more information, contact the FSU Department of Music at (301) 687-4109.

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DONATION TO FSU - First United National Bank & Trust recently donated \$11,167.92 to Frostburg State University on behalf of the bank's customers and management. First United's Frostburg Community Office had been promoting a deposit account called the Centennial Helper Certificate of Deposit. The bank dedicated to FSU \$5 from every \$1000 put into this type of CD opened by customers in Western Maryland. This donation is in addition to First United Bank's \$35,000 five-year pledge to the university. Dr. Catherine R. Gira, president of FSU, is pictured here on the left as she receives the donation from Judy Giffin, manager of the bank's Frostburg Community Office.

New Adventure Magazine Published

Steven Leyh, Cumberland, has launched a new outdoor adventure magazine. Titled *Weekend Adventures Magazine*, the quarterly publication is designed for adults who enjoy outdoor adventures as well as visiting historical places.

The magazine is printed on newsprint and is distributed and made available free throughout Western Maryland, Laurel Highlands of Pennsylvania, and Potomac Highlands of West Virginia. *Weekend Adventures* will feature year-round opportunities for historical exploration, outdoor recreation, travel, education, adventure, and nature, as well as festivals, lodging, restaurants, and other related attractions. Story topics will include: fly fishing, white-water rafting expeditions, family camping, as well as articles on events and attractions in the area.

The spring issue contains feature stories on Frank Lloyd Wright's Fallingwater, wildflowers, backpacking in Dolly Sods, and the C&O Canal, all composed by local freelance writers. A photography contest sponsored by Clark's Camera Centre and *Weekend Adventures* begins with this issue and continues throughout the summer. Anyone who would like to find out more information about *Weekend Adventures Magazine* may call 301-759-4719 during regular business hours.

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German Student To Attend SHS Through ICES

Alexander Roth, an International Cultural Exchange Services (ICES) student from Bottrop, Germany, has just received information about his home away from home during the 1997-98 school year (semester). He will live with Reverend and Mrs. Bill Connelly in Red House. Scheduled to arrive in August 1997, Alexander will be a member of the Southern Garrett High School student body.

Other families interested in hosting an ICES student can contact Bill Fintzell at (301) 387-8040, or call ICES at 1-800-839-7941.

Applications Now Available For Jr. Miss Program

The Maryland's Junior Miss Scholarship Program is now accepting applications for its 1998 Program. Maryland high school senior young women who will graduate in the class of 1998 are eligible to participate in this statewide scholarship program.

Maryland's Junior Miss is part of a nationwide endeavor to honor and reward the country's outstanding high school young women for their achievements. The winner and finalists will receive cash scholarships; all state participants will become eligible for scholarships to select colleges nationwide, including Western Maryland College in Westminster.

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OVFD AUXILIARY ARRANGES FIRST RAFFLE - The newly formed auxiliary of the Oakland Volunteer Fire Department has planned its first fund-raiser, which will be a drawing for a Thermos gas grill. The raffle will be held on May 23, just in time for Memorial Day picnics, a spokesperson commented. The grill was donated by Naylor's Hardware. Raffle tickets are available from any auxiliary member. The group is interested in other fund-raising pursuits and invites any persons interested in helping with activities to attend the auxiliary's next meeting. The group meets on the first Tuesday of each month at 7 p.m. at the Oakland fire hall. Pictured left to right are auxiliary members Marsha James, Amy Kight, Joell Simmons, Ruth Ann Hinebaugh, Julie Feather (president), Geni Sharps, Melissa Friend, Sherry Helbig (secretary), Joni Callis (vice president), Sherry Piper, Cheryl Feather (treasurer), and Jaime George; and Don Mason, manager of Naylor's. Not present for the picture were members Bea Crocco, Bonnie Evans, Tina Walking, Kelli Stonebraker, and Pam Stover.

minister.

Interested young women who will be graduating from high school in 1998 can get an application and information about the program by sending a self-addressed stamped envelope to Maryland's Junior Miss, P.O. Box 4122, Frederick, MD 21701. There is no entry fee. A participants' orientation will be held in September at Western Maryland College; the final program is scheduled to be held in Frederick, sometime in early February 1998.

In addition to winning

scholarships, the young woman selected to be "Maryland's Junior Miss 1998" earns the right to participate in the annual America's Junior Miss Program to be held June 1998 in Mobile, Ala. This year the state Junior Miss who wins the America's Junior Miss title will receive a \$30,000 scholarship to use at the college of her choice. Approximately \$43 million



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Parsons is a graduate of Southern Garrett High School. He also attended Allegany Community College and is a graduate of Catherman's Business School.

He started his career at First United in 1972. During his career he worked at the Oakland office for five years. He also held the position of assistant manager at the Grantsville Community Office. For 13 years he was community office manager at the Barton Community Office, and for the last five years he was community office manager at the Frostburg Office.

Parsons is a member of the Professional Bowlers

Association, the Frostburg Elks, and the United Methodist Church in Cumberland.

He resides in Frostburg with his wife Cindy. He has two children, Matthew and D.R.

FSU Theatre Concludes With Twelfth Night

"If music be the food of love, play on." Thus begins the play *Twelfth Night*, the most popular and the most often acted of William Shakespeare's romantic comedies.

Frostburg State University Theatre will present the classic on Friday and Saturday, April 25 and 26, and Thursday through Saturday, May 1 through 3, at 8 p.m. and Sunday, April 27, at 2 p.m. in the Performing Arts Center's Studio Theatre.

Twelfth Night has been described as "the perfect play for the stage." Each player in turn has his or her "moment" and no player overshadows the other. The plot is intricately woven and each of the characters is fully dimensional.

The story focuses on Viola and her twin brother Sebastian. The two have been shipwrecked off the coast of Illyria and presume the other to be dead. Viola, disguised as a boy, enters the service of Duke Orsino who is courting Lady Olivia. Olivia's drunken uncle Sir Toby Belch and his friend Sir Andrew Aguecheek are two more of the play's off-beat cast who are thrown into a world of mistaken identity, clever schemes, and good-hearted merri-



JWCC HELPS NORTHERN RESCUE - Following its tradition of supporting local agencies and organizations that serve the community, the Junior Woman's Civic Club recently made a donation to Northern Garrett Rescue Squad. Brenda Crabtree presented the check on behalf of JWCC. Pictured here with her, the members of the Northern Garrett Rescue Squad who accepted the donation are Alan Sisler, left, and Barry Beal, squad captain.

ment.

The FSU play is directed by Richard Kagey III, associate professor of communication and theatre arts. The occasion marks Kagey's directing debut on campus. He has served as the designer of all University Theatre productions since his arrival in 1993.

Kagey chose *Twelfth Night* as his first production because of its "accessibility"

to a modern audience. "I wanted to do a Shakespearean comedy. Some of the humor in many of his plays is 'so Shakespearean' that it becomes a little hard to understand. That isn't the case with *Twelfth Night*. The humor appeals to all audiences," he said.

Kagey designed "the space" for the production and promises lots of rich colors in the presentation.

NOTICE

MEMBERS OF AMERICAN LEGION PROCTOR KILDOW POST #071

Having been read at three consecutive Post meetings, a vote will be taken on proposed amendments to the Post By-Laws, at the next regular Post meeting, April 21, 1997 at 7:00 P.M. All members are urged to attend.

MAHLON W. YOST, Post Adjutant

The play will be acted in the "theatre in the round" style with the audience seated on all four sides of the stage. "This is the first production we've performed 'in the round' at FSU," Kagey says.

The costumes have been designed by Tona Skenck of Illinois State University and were used in the Illinois Shakespeare Festival last summer. Although there will be some variations on traditional Shakespearean style, Kagey says the play will be "hammered in the Renaissance period."

For those who want to "brush up on their Shakespeare" prior to the performances, FSU Assistant Professor of English Rochelle Smith will hold a discussion on *Twelfth Night* on Thursday, April 24, at 7 p.m. in the FSU's Ort Library Room 210. The lecture will feature an introduction to the story, as well as a look

at the play's performance history. The public and the campus community are invited to attend.

To make reservations for the performances, persons may call (301) 687-4145 between 1 and 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday. Tickets may be purchased at the theatre box office be-

fore the performance as well.

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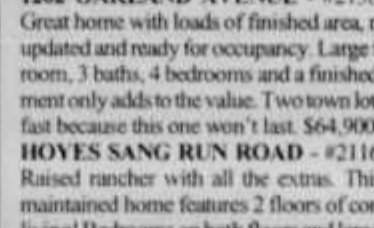
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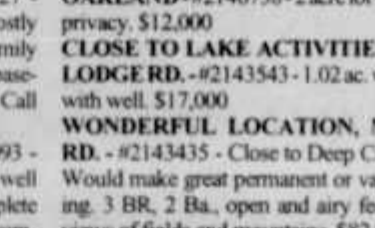
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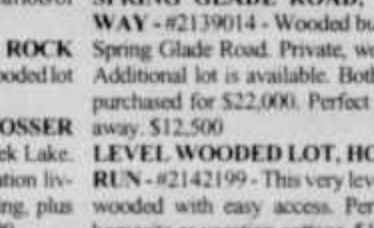
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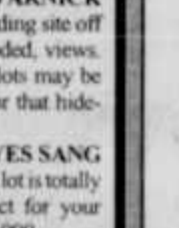
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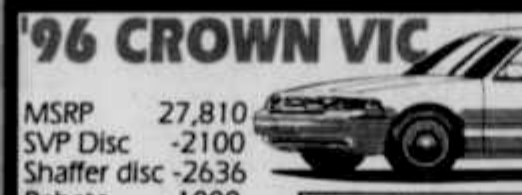
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 Rebate -1000
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LEASE.. just \$222/mo
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'98 WINDSTAR
 stk# 8-T-2



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 Shaffer disc -1701
 Rebate -1000
 College grad-400
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94 TOPAZ	GS 4, Door, AT	\$7,995	\$149/60
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95 F-150 4X4	SuperCab, XLT, V8	\$18,995	\$386/60
94 EXPLORER	XLT, 4X4, AT, AC	\$15,695	\$346/54
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Business Leaders Join Educators To Review Progress, Plan Growth

Business leaders joined educators at a luncheon meeting last week to talk about progress and problems in the Garrett County community. Growing business trends, developing work ethics, and training for employability were among the subjects of the dialogue. This school/business partnership conference marked the eighth year of cooperative efforts between those segments of the population to encourage growth and health of the local economy.

Jo Ann Vent, coordinator of the meeting and supervisor of career and technology education, believes this forum to be a positive event. "We feel it is



MEETING OF THE MINDS - Business leaders met with educators at their eighth annual meeting to discuss school programs as they relate to employment trends in Garrett County. Among the speakers to address the group was David Moe, president of the Garrett County Chamber of Commerce.

an excellent time for education and business to come together, not only to express concerns, but to express appreciation for positive efforts in partnership with our School to Careers program," she said.

James Hinebaugh, director of Garrett County Economic Development, led a discussion focusing on employment trends in the county. He cited telecommunications and tourism as two of the county's growing markets. He stated that 52 percent of the jobs are currently in service fields and retail.

Hinebaugh complimented the teachers and administrators of the Garrett County school system for the job that is being done to prepare young people for recruitment into the workforce. He emphasized the need "to make sure kids are employable" and the need for continued education.

Kudos also came from Hinebaugh on GCC's Garrett Rural Information Cooperative (GRIC) and PIVOT (Partners In Valuable Ongoing Training) for providing good foundations for business growth. He underscored the positive impact he believes the Adventure Sports Center will have on creation of jobs and giving a boost to the general economy.

Tourism as a major industry was also highlighted by David Moe, president of the Garrett County Chamber of Commerce. "Tourism will be the world's largest industry by the year 2000," he said, adding that 20 percent of the population will be employed in that industry.

Local business people were then invited to comment on experiences with employing high school students. It was noted by several who spoke that some experiences had been favorable and others not so good. One business woman noted a lack of dedication on the part of some workers. "They don't seem to have the work ethic," she said. "I feel there are things

we should do to reinforce the work ethic," she suggested.

Another business owner asked that the school board consider adapting the school calendar to the needs of the tourism industry. He pointed out that schools resume classes before Labor Day. Considering the importance of tourism in the county, he suggested that those employed in the industry should be available to serve the customers until the end of the season.

At the monthly school board meeting that evening approval of the school calendar was on the agenda. Though the board members considered the issue of extending summer vacation beyond Labor Day, this was not possible because of the required number of days for school to be in session.

Legion Bingo To Benefit Society

American Legion Proctor Kildow Post 71, Oakland, will host a Big Bucks Bingo on Saturday, April 26, with all proceeds of the event to be donated to the Garrett County Historical Society. Games will get underway at 5 p.m. and continue until 9 p.m. Tickets are available at the post home and from Legion members.

The Historical Society recently purchased the Professional Building in downtown Oakland to house its museum. Donations are being solicited and fund-raising events are being held to help the Society finance the project.

Parent And Child Computer Course To Be Offered

A computer course on Internet skills and safety will be offered to parents and children age 9 and older. "Browse With Your Child" will be presented by the University of Maryland Cooperative Extension Service and held at Garrett Community College.

Course instructor Marianne Reynolds of the Extension Service will cover topics including responsible use of the Internet, disturbing links, a review of software offering child-friendly browsing, security, and safety-related sites.

Reynolds will also focus on finding family resources on the Internet as well as approved chat rooms so that a parent can monitor a child's online participation. Part of the class time will also be dedicated to working on a design for a Parents' Web Page for Garrett County.

Sponsored through a Parent Education Network mini-grant which is administered by the Office for Children, Youth, and Families, this computer class will meet Wednesdays, April 23 and 30, and May 7 and 14, from 5:15 to 7:15 p.m. at GCC. Class size is limited to 20 adults and 20 children.

To register, a person may contact the Cooperative Extension Service at 334-1990 no later than April 21.

GCC To Offer Introductory Massage Therapy

Garrett Community College will offer two introductory non-credit massage therapy courses at the McHenry Campus of Garrett Community College. The first course titled "Introduction to Massage Therapy" will be offered this Saturday, April 19, between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. This course is designed to provide introductory information to persons interested in pursuing a possible career in massage therapy. The course will be held in the Center for Community and Continuing Education.

Students will review topics which provide information about the historical use of massage for healing, various techniques used for specific problems, and techniques for relaxation, stress reduction, and wellness. Participants will be introduced to a massage technique which may be used in either the office or home environment. No prior education or experience is required.

The second course is a five-week course titled "Overview of Bodywork and Massage Therapy." This 30-hour course will meet on Saturdays beginning April 19. Students will meet in the Center for Community and Continuing Education between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. This course is the pre-requisite for entry into the Massage Therapy curriculum at the college. Students who enroll will be provided an application for entry into the core Massage Therapy curriculum at the college. The next core group will begin in September 1997.

Topics for the five-week course include the nervous system, touch concepts and research, and introductory Eastern, European and Western bodywork and massage modalities.

Tom Kierstead, program director, said, "The Massage Therapy curriculum at GCC is designed to prepare students to meet Maryland law and to challenge the test for national certification. Students who enroll in the core curriculum in the fall and take the required and elective courses in the fall, spring, summer, and following fall terms should expect to complete their course of study in the fall of 1998."

Maryland senior citizens over age 60 may enroll at a reduced cost for either course. Out-of-county and out-of-state residents will

pay an additional differential fee. Because of limited seating, potential students should register at the Continuing Education Office, McHenry campus, room CE-300. Those with questions or requiring additional information may call 301-387-3069.

Swimming Pool, Spa Operators Course Offered

The health departments of Garrett and Allegany counties, in cooperation with Garrett Community College, will offer swimming pool/spa operators certification and recertification courses in the GCC's Center for Community and Continuing Education on May 15 and 16. The recertification course is May 15 only. Both sessions will occur between 8 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. All those operators of public swimming pools and spas governed by Maryland Regulations (COMAR 10.17.04) are required to be under the direct supervision of a certified operator. Certification for those who successfully complete the course is for three years.

Individuals who wish to participate must pre-register by calling the Continuing Education Office of GCC, 301-387-3069. Those who wish to order a text may do

so at pre-registration. The text is *The Pool and Spa Operators' Handbook*. Morning and afternoon refreshments will be provided.

Hometown Trees Donated To Local Residents

Through a national tree-planting initiative, IGA stores were able to participate in a community tree-planting project called Hometown Trees. Through this program, seedlings have

been donated to local residents and agencies.

Among those receiving trees were children in Friendsville and Accident elementary schools.

Accident IGA manager George Nordeck, who initiated the program locally, was invited to Friendsville Elementary to present the children with trees. He said the students were very excited to each get a personal tree.

Seedlings were also presented to AmeriCorps to be used in community projects.

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Keep packaged polenta on hand for an easy meal. Broil half-inch-thick slices until golden. Top with sauteed mushrooms—both wild and domestic, if you like—and chopped green onions.

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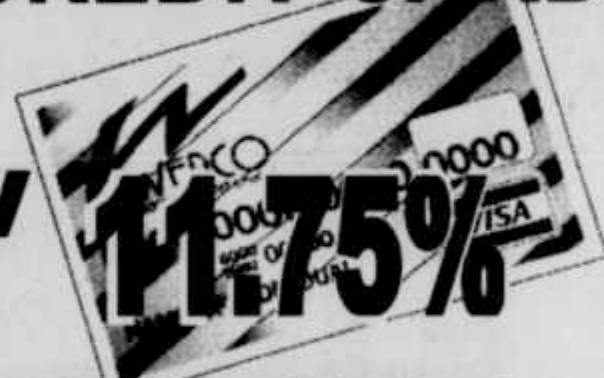
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Wilbert Broadwater, Operations Supervisor on No. 5 Paper Machine, has been named the Luke mill's Quality Employee of the Quarter for 4th Quarter 1996. Wilbert has worked in the Lower Mill for nearly 40 years. He has always focused on improving the quality of products from No. 5 Paper Machine and his effort has paid dividends.

Wilbert played a major role in recent significant quality improvements on No. 5 Paper Machine with the elimination of shadow marking and formation improvement. He is a very dedicated employee who always puts quality first, along with productivity and safety. Wilbert is planning to retire from Westvaco May 1, 1997.

Congratulations, Wilbert!



Wilbert Broadwater



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Northern High Students Of The Month Selected

The Northern High School Student Council and American Trust Bank recently named Students of the Month for January. The honorees are: Joshua Resh, Seth Huber, Brandi Frazee, and Rachael Gosnell. Each

student was presented a trophy from the student council and American Trust Bank.

Joshua Resh, a freshman, participates in football and basketball at Northern. He is also a volunteer for the Dribblers Club. His honors include earning a spot on the Distinguished Honor Roll and being named the Most Improved junior varsity football player.



STUDENTS OF THE MONTH at Northern High School were recently named for the month of January. Pictured from left are: Josh Resh, Seth Huber, Brandi Frazee, Rachael Gosnell, and, representing sponsoring agent American Trust Bank, Carol Miller. See story for details.

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I know, sweet angels, you cannot banish all my pain
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Construction Tech Program Expanded At GCC

The Construction Technology Certificate program at Garrett Community College has been expanded to accommodate the needs of individuals who are seeking "hands on" training in preparation for new types of employment.

According to Joan B. Crawford, director of enrollment development, courses that have not been offered for several years are once again being scheduled. Two courses in welding, the introductory and intermediate levels, will be offered on Tuesday and Thursday evenings during both summer sessions. In the fall semester, Intermediate Welding II and Advanced Welding will be offered, making it possible for a student to complete four levels of welding. Building Construction I and Residential Wiring I are also scheduled in the fall semester, followed by Building Construction II and Residential Wiring II in the spring semester. Other construction technology courses scheduled in the 1997-98 academic year are Blueprint Reading in the fall and Mechanical Drawing in the spring.

It will now be possible for students to have three areas of emphasis in this 20-21 credit hour program. In addition to the electrical and construction emphasis, students will be able to have an emphasis in welding. A new course, Math for the Construction Trades, will replace the previous mathematics requirement.

Students may register for summer and fall construction technology courses at the Student Assistance Center weekdays until 4:30.

TRAVELERS

The Travelers 4-H Club held its annual Easter Basket fund-raiser this year at the Terra Alta IGA, which featured a basket filled with over \$50 worth of items. Members Shelby Jenkins, James Casteel, Stephanie Casteel, Kristy Powell, and Ashley Miller were present to sell tickets and later conduct the drawing. Rick Jenkins, an uncle of Shelby and brother-in-law of club leader Joann Jenkins, was the winner. Mr. Jenkins has purchased many tickets over the past few years and also purchased a number of the Easter items that were in the basket.

COVE KIDS

by Rachel Schmidt, Reporter

At the regular Cove Kids 4-H meeting held at St. John's Lutheran Church last Thursday, the group made hearts out of puzzle pieces for the residents of the Goodwill Mennonite home. The group will be visiting the Goodwill Mennonite home this evening, April 17, at 6:30 to present a program.

The 4-H and American pledges were led by Jason Brenneman and Tony Bender. Parents and the 4-H members played a communication game using a coat. For a fund-raiser, the Cove Kids will be selling tickets for \$1 each to raffle off a glider donated by Bizzy Bee Woodworking. Drawing for the glider will be on May 8 at the regular Cove Kids 4-H meeting.

Tony Bender gave a demonstration on how to put a gun rack together. Tony made a wooden gun rack for his 4-H project.

Refreshments were served by the Kabe family. In May the Schmidt family will be serving refreshments.

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Lions Urging Local Support Of Bloodmobile

The Oakland - Mountain Lake Park Lions Club is urging area residents to support the American Red Cross bloodmobile on Friday, April 25, at the Oakland Armory from 11:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

"With your help, we hope to heighten awareness that the need for blood donations is not driven by a single tragedy or crisis that happens only once, the need for blood is constant and repetitive," said Elizabeth Huxford, Garrett County Blood Services chairman. "We'd like to thank the Oakland - Mountain Lake Park Lions Club for spreading the word by sponsoring the bloodmobile. With their help, we are making a community effort to ensure a sufficient supply of blood is readily available." Once an emergency occurs it's too late to recruit donors due to the intensive screening and testing that is required on every unit of donated blood, she added.

According to Huxford, the Johnstown Region must collect 700 units each week-day to meet the needs of regional residents and patients at hospitals, including Garrett Memorial, Ruby, and others, served through the Red Cross Blood Services. The goal for this bloodmobile is 160 units of blood.

"We need all blood donors of all types to give and support the community in this effort. The need for blood is constant, and American Red Cross is in demand for all blood types at this time," Huxford said.

The American Red Cross will also be visiting Friendsville on Friday, May 2, at the Laurel Run Church of God from noon to 6 p.m. Blood donors must be at

least 17 years of age, weigh at least 110 pounds, and be in generally good health. Donor identification is important so the Red Cross encourages individuals to bring their Red Cross donor card, driver's license, or other form of positive identification with them when they come to donate. Individuals can safely give every 56 days.

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Family Agricultural Project Members Hear Steve Muntz

Steve Muntz, Kentucky, a representative of the Heifer Project International, was the guest speaker at a recent meeting of the Family Agricultural Project.

The Family Agricultural Project is an organization that serves farmers in Garrett and Preston (W.Va.) counties.

Maryland Farm Bureau Video Now Available

The Maryland Farm Bureau's award-winning video "The Urbanization of Agriculture" is now available for use by community groups across the state. Produced in cooperation with the American Farm Bureau Federation and filmed primarily in Maryland, the video features farmers who have adapted and in some cases are flourishing in the face of development pressures.

In December, the video won first place in its division at the National Agri-

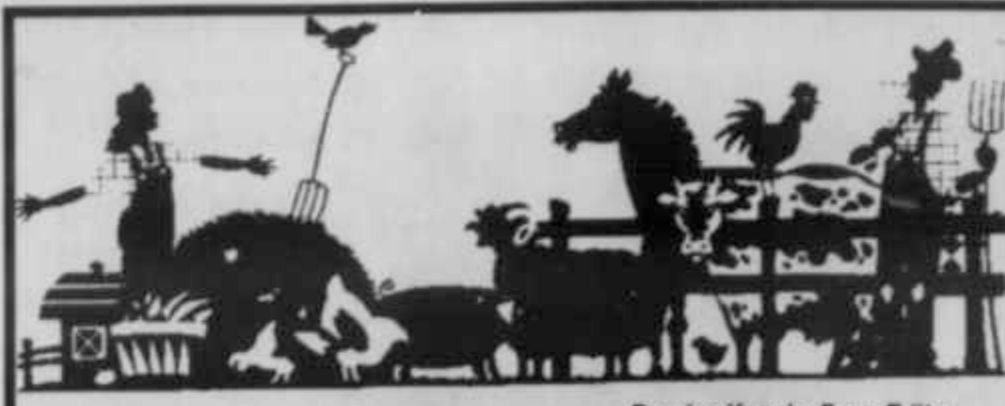
cultural Marketing Association awards presentation in Chicago. In February, it was honored by the Communicator Awards, a national awards organization that recognizes outstanding work in the communications field.

Public Meeting On Rabbit And Goat Cooperative Set

People who are interested in the production and marketing of rabbit and goat meat products are invited to attend a public meeting on the organization of the "Mountain Pride Cooperative." The meeting will be on April 21 at 7:30 p.m. at the Pleasant Valley Community Center south of Oakland.

During the past few months the steering committee of producers and other interested people have organized and developed a cooperative business and a financial plan that will be explained to those in attendance. Following the program the committee will be soliciting membership for the legal formation of the producers' cooperative.

Additional information and directions to the Pleasant Valley Community Center may be obtained by contacting the Garrett County Extension Office at 301-334-1990 or the Preston County Extension Office at 304-329-1391.



Farming In Maryland..... Bernice Kepple, Farm Editor

Doss Is New Maryland State Conservationist

David P. Doss was named state conservationist for the Natural Resources Conservation Service (NRCS) in Maryland. NRCS, formerly the Soil Conservation Service, is the lead conservation agency within the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

As state conservationist, Doss will manage the delivery of voluntary conservation programs on Maryland's privately owned lands, provide leadership to Maryland's Conservation Partnership, and supervise NRCS employees working in local county field offices, special program offices, and the state office in Annapolis.

A career federal employee with 35 years of service with NRCS, Doss returns to Maryland, where he had previously worked for NRCS from 1973 to 1987.

He was awarded a bachelor of science degree in agricultural engineering from Auburn University in Auburn, Ala. After college, he joined NRCS and worked as a field and resource area engineer in Alabama for five years. In 1966, he transferred to NRCS in Georgia, where he served as a watershed planning engineer.

Doss worked on Maryland's Eastern Shore, in the NRCS office in Salisbury, as the team leader of the River Basin staff from 1973 to 1976. He was then assigned as an assistant state conservationist at the NRCS Maryland state office in College Park from 1976 to 1987. From 1987 to 1996, Doss worked as a management analyst in the Operations Management Division at NRCS national headquarters in Washington, D.C. He was instrumental in introducing Total Quality Management (TQM) processes to NRCS and worked with state program managers on national conservation initiatives.

From January 1996 to the present, Doss served as the NRCS national policy coordinator for the Watershed Program in the Watersheds and Wetlands Division in Washington, D.C. He worked with state and regional offices to address watershed protection, flood prevention, and emergency watershed protection at the local level.

"I am looking forward to working with NRCS employees, soil conservation districts, farmers, and members of Maryland's Conservation Partnership to further our goals of locally led conservation and a healthy stewardship of the land," said Doss. "I will work with our conservation partners to help farmers and producers maintain a productive and profitable agriculture in Maryland, while at the same time helping the environment and conserving natural resources."

A Maryland resident, Doss lives in Bowie.

NRCS works hand-in-hand with local farmers, ranchers, and landowners on voluntary conservation programs designed to preserve natural resources on private lands and help landowners and communities take a comprehensive approach to conservation planning.

Wool Production Down 12 Percent

Wool production for Maryland during 1996 totaled 161,000 pounds, down 12 percent from the 1995 production of 182,000 pounds. A reduction of two pounds in fleece weight more than offset the 3,000 head increase in sheep shorn.

Sheep shorn for wool at 24,000 head, increased 3,000 head and the average fleece weight was 6.7 pounds. The 1996 wool price fell 32 cents from last year's 81 cents per pound. The value of Maryland's 1996 wool production was \$79,000, a decrease of 46 percent from the \$147,000 for the 1995 wool value.

Shorn wool production in the United States during 1996 was 56.7 million pounds, down 11 percent from 1995. Sheep and lambs shorn totaled 7.28 million head, a decrease of 11 percent from 1995. The average price paid for wool sold in 1996 was 70 cents per pound for a total value of \$39.7 million, down 38 percent from \$64.3 million in 1995.

Maryland Farmers Offer Homeowners Conservation Tips

Maryland Department of Agriculture Secretary Lewis R. Riley has announced the spring kickoff of "Take It From Maryland Farmers," an educational outreach program aimed at informing homeowners about practical gardening actions to protect water quality in Maryland's streams, rivers and the Chesapeake Bay.

"Take It From Maryland Farmers" highlights conservation measures that farmers use to produce healthy crops and protect water quality in the bay and its tributaries. By applying these measures to home, lawn and garden projects, homeowners can join Maryland farmers working to protect the bay.

Interested gardeners may call the Maryland Cooperative Extension Service weekdays from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. at 1-800-342-2507 or the Maryland Department of Agriculture at 410-841-5863 to receive a free copy of Backyard Actions for a Cleaner Chesapeake Bay. The guide offers homeowners a variety of easy-to-follow, bay-friendly suggestions for caring for lawns and gardens.

Among the many ideas offered are general rules of thumb for fertilizing lawns and gardens, how to spot and correct erosion problems, and what can be done to control weeds and insects without pesticides.

Cold Weather Returns To State

Last week saw cold weather return to farms all across Maryland.

Apples, cherries and peaches have suffered some frost damage. Various parts of Maryland have reported damages to the early peach and apple crops, but no reports on the actual amounts have been determined. Severe damage to cherry and peach crops were reported west of Montgomery and Frederick counties. In that area the trees were in full bloom and most susceptible to damage. Strawberries were just coming in to bloom.

Field corn planting was running ahead of the five-year average. Vegetable planting was off to a good start, especially with potatoes and green peas. Potato planting was well ahead of average. Wheat condition was one percent very poor, three percent poor, 32 percent fair, 52 percent good, and 12 percent excellent. The barley crop was two percent very poor, six percent poor, 23 percent fair, 57 percent good, and 12 percent excellent. Rye condition was one percent poor, 29 percent fair, 58 percent good, and 12 percent excellent. Pastures were two percent poor, 25 percent fair, 58 percent good, and 15 percent excellent. Hay supplies varied statewide, but were mostly adequate overall.

Topsoil moisture was 88 percent adequate and 12 percent surplus. Subsoil

moisture was 85 percent adequate and 15 percent surplus. There was an average of 4.8 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending on April 13.

U.S. Pig Crop Up Slightly From Last Year

The December 1996-February U.S. pig crop at 23.1 million head was slightly more than 1996 but three percent less than 1995. Sows farrowing during this period totaled 2.68 million head, two percent below last year. Litter rate increases continue at a record level, with an average of 8.62 pigs saved per litter for the December-February period.

Last year the litter rate averaged 8.40 pigs per litter. Pigs saved per litter by size of operation ranged from 7.20 for operations with 1-99 hogs to 8.90 for operations with more than 2,000 hogs and pigs.

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Market report for Friday, April 11, 1997.
Baby Calves by the head, \$4 to 30; Baby Calves by the cwt., \$30 to 54. Steers (300 to 499 lbs.) \$73 to 89; (500 to 700 lbs.) \$67 to 85.50; (700 to 999 lbs.) \$57 to 66.50. Heifers (500 to 700 lbs.) \$51.50 to 56; (700 to 999 lbs.) \$36 to 51.50.

Slaughter Cows by the cwt., \$26 to 40. Cull Cows by the cwt. \$14 to 25. Bred Cows and Heifers by head, \$220 to 400. Cows with calves by the head, \$280 to 630. Bulls by the cwt. - light, \$78 to 82. Hogs, light, \$49 to 50. Lambs (25 to 55 lbs.) \$125 to 200, (70 to 90 lbs.) \$127 to 135. Ewes by the cwt., \$22 to 41. Ponies, \$175 to 225. Hay, \$1.25 to 2.25.

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Stock Bulls and Steers (200 to 500 lbs.), \$45 to 72.50. Stock Heifers, \$40 to 66.50. Slaughter Steers, good to choice, \$63 to 67.25; medium to good, \$57 to 62.50; heavy choice (over 1,450 lb.), \$55 to 65. Holstein Steers, heavy (choice), \$40 to 54.50; light, \$34 to 44. Slaughter Heifers, good to choice, \$61.50 to 67.80; medium to good, \$50 to 61. Bulls, heavy, \$41 to 50; light, \$28 to 44. Cows, utility (holsteins), \$37 to 44; commercial to good, \$28 to 36.50; cull cows, \$28 and down. Veals, good to choice, \$40 to 65; medium to good, \$20 to 44. Bob Calves, \$25 and down. Holstein Bull Calves, return to farm (90 to 120 lbs.), \$40

to 71. Holstein Heifer Calves, return to farm (90 to 120 lbs.), up to \$140. Beef Cross Calves, return to farm, up to \$50.

Hogs, top quality, up to \$51.25; heavy, up to \$50; light, \$30 to 47. Sows, \$35 to 48.50. Male Hogs, \$24 to 39. Lambs, light, \$90 to 100. Livestock prices are all given per hundred weight.

GRANTSVILLE STOCKYARDS

Easter lamb & goat sales - Sat., April 19.

Market report for Saturday, April 12, 1997.

Stock Steers & Bulls (200 to 500 lbs.), \$50 to 75. Stock Heifers, \$40 to 68. Slaughter Steers, medium to good, \$45 to 62. Holstein Steers, light, \$30 to 37.50. Slaughter Heifers, medium to good, \$42 to 57. Bulls, heavy, \$42 to 49.75; light, \$30 to 48. Cows, utility (holsteins), \$36 to 47; canners, \$30 to 35; culls, \$28

and down. Veals, good to choice, up to \$80; medium to good, \$35 to 55. Bob Calves, \$20 and down. Holstein Bull Calves, return to farm (90 to 120 lbs.), \$30 to 60. Holstein Hfr. Calves, return to farm, up to \$111. Beef Cross Calves, return to farm, up to \$100.

Hogs, top quality, \$48 to 53.75; heavy, \$47 to 51; light, \$41 to 49.75. Feeder Pigs, by head, up to \$80. Sows, up to \$47. Male Hogs, up to \$37. Lambs (70 to 85 lbs.), up to \$120; (85 to 125 lbs.), up to \$141; (30 to 60 lbs.) up to \$140; culls, \$60 and down. Sheep, up to \$49. Goats, large, by head, \$50 to 90; medium, by head, \$20 to 60; small, by head, \$8 to 38.

West Virginia Farm Credit Issues Patronage Checks

In April, member-borrowers of West Virginia Farm Credit, ACA, received patronage refund checks for 1996. This was announced by Dick Hamblin, president and CEO.

The patronage for borrowers of West Virginia Farm Credit, ACA, will total more than \$1.97 million. Twenty-percent, or \$3.39 million, was paid in cash. The balance was placed in allocated surplus in the names of individual member-borrowers.

"West Virginia Farm Credit, ACA, had another successful year in 1996, and we are pleased to be able to share our success with our borrowers, to 'put our profits in their pockets,'" said Walter Schmidlen, chairman of the West Virginia Farm Credit, ACA board, and farmer from Elkins, W. Va. "This is the third consecutive year we've paid a patronage refund."

"When we distribute our profits to our borrowers, it reduces their effective cost of borrowing," Dick Hamblin stated, "and it proves that there are distinct financial benefits in doing business on a cooperative basis."

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WVU Extension News



Bill Shockey, Preston Co. Ag Agent

West Virginia Dairy Day was held on the WVU Livestock Farm, Morgantown, West Virginia, on March 25. Dr. Robert Yonkers, Pennsylvania State University, was the keynote speaker and gave presentations covering 1) FAIR and dairy policy and 2) risk management using futures. The underlying theme of both discussions was that "the consumer is boss." Development of new dairy products and addition of fluid milk to the commodity trade market illustrate the changing face of the dairy industry.

Ms. Beth Dransfield, Monroe County Extension agent, presented results of her master's thesis, which addressed the topic of "Timing of Artificial Insemination." Her results support the importance of heat detection in dairy breeding programs and refute some longstanding myths such as "cows show heat more often at night."

Dr. Sam Barringer, Extension veterinarian, presented a herd health update. Topics included foot care, vaccinations, obstetrics, and animal welfare.

Tours of the dairy unit were hosted by WVU Division of Animal and Veterinary Science faculty and staff.

Tuesday evening state DHIA awards were presented at the dairy banquet. A number of awards were earned by Preston County producers, including top herd in the state to Mark and Ledeana Teets. Local awards will be presented at the NC West Virginia DHIA banquet on April 23. For further information, those interested may contact the Preston County Extension Office, 115 W Court Street, Kingwood, WV, or call 304-329-1391 by April 18.

loans. West Virginia Farm Credit, ACA, has offices located in Petersburg, Clarksburg, and Ripley, W. Va., and in Oakland, Md. Those interested in learning more about West Virginia Farm Credit, ACA, may call 1-800-919-3276 to speak with a loan officer today.

Prices Received Up In March

Prices received by local farmers were up in March for virtually all commodities except barley, hogs, broilers, and eggs. At the U.S. level, price increases from February for cattle, soybeans, and corn more than offset price decreases for eggs, hogs, and broilers.

United States Egg Production Up

Maryland laying flocks produced 76 million eggs during January 1997, of which 68 million were table eggs and eight million were hatching eggs. The average rate of lay was 70.3 percent. The average number of layers on hand during January 1997 was 3,486,000. On February 1, 13.0 percent of the layers in Maryland were being molted and 20.0 percent of all layers had been through a molt.

U.S. egg production totaled 6.55 billion during January 1997, up two percent from 6.40 billion produced during January 1996. Production included 5.57 billion table eggs and 982 million hatching-type eggs. Hatching eggs included 920 million from broiler-type flocks and 62 million from egg-type flocks. The total number of layers during January 1997 averaged 303 million, up one percent from the average for January 1996. January egg production per layer was 21.6 eggs, compared to 21.4 a year earlier. On February 1, 5.0 percent of the layers in the U.S. were being molted and 21.6 percent of the rest had been through a molt.

Egg-type chicks hatched during January totaled 33.3 million, up six percent from January 1996. Additional egg-type hatching eggs in incubators on February 1 totaled 31.8 million, up one percent from the previous year.

Pullets hatched and intended for future placement in domestic egg-type hatchery supply flocks totaled 205,000 during January 1997, up 20 percent from the 171,000 replacements hatched in January 1996.

The January 1997 hatch of broiler-type chicks, at 700 million, was up two percent from January of the previous year. There were 576 million broiler-type eggs in incubators on February 1, up two percent from February 1, 1996.

Leading breeders intend to place 5.92 million broiler-type pullet chicks in domestic broiler-type hatchery supply flocks from chicks hatched during January 1997, up seven percent compared to a year ago.

expenditures last year were over \$415, compared to \$330 per person a decade ago. "Despite rising retail prices since 1980, consumers have not been willing to spend any more total dollars per person for beef," Miller said.

Miller said trepidation over the "mad cow" scare in England and an E. coli outbreak in Japan have had negative impacts on U.S. beef exports. He said these scares translated into a glut of cheaper beef from Canada, Australia, New Zealand and Brazil. The commodity specialist predicted imports will likely remain up in 1997 until world health concerns from the outbreaks are under control.

Despite a one percent reduction in the overall cow herd in 1996, Miller said U.S. beef production is expected to be up one to two percent this year due to heavier slaughter weights. He said returns in the cattle industry will suffer, with last year's positive feedlot returns disappearing early this year.

On the hog side, Steve Meyer of the National Pork Producers Council said positive returns to hog producers in 1997 should follow good late-1996 numbers. He said a combination of flat beef and poultry consumption, excellent pork export demand and an expected near-record 1997 corn crop will help hog producers.

Meyer said hog farmers should expect strong prices throughout the year, with some producers looking at

near-\$90 prices for their animals in the second quarter of the year. Third and fourth quarter hog prices will be lower, but profitable, particularly for medium-sized producers.

But, Meyer said, the higher retail pork prices consumers see at the meat counter are clouding the outlook.

"We have to be concerned about high consumer prices over the long term," Meyer said. The economist fears increased retail pork costs will drive some consumers away from "the other white meat." He said continued stiff competition from beef and chicken will continue through this year. "We have to balance our interests with the consumers' interests."

Meyer expects the strong export demand for pork to continue through 1997. Last year's export level of more than one billion pounds propelled the United States into a "net exporter" situation for the first time.

The pork expert highlighted potential shifts in hog processing and growing trends, saying packers may face shortages this year that could potentially shut at least one packing plant down. Meyer said the 400,000 animal-per-day demand can't be met by the 350,000 hogs delivered. He also noted that expansion of the hog industry in North Carolina may be topped out and the next spot for dramatic hog production and processing increases may be South Dakota.

Jim Baker, head of the Agriculture Department's Packers and Stockyards Administration, said his agency will continue its vigilance on the problem of packer concentration and captive supply. Baker highlighted numerous ongoing investigations and future examinations his staff will conduct into the situation. Baker said he is committed to having "a presence in the procurement process of livestock."

Baker offered advice to producers confronted with problems resulting from market concentration—learn how to market your animals. He said knowledge of marketing, and of the markets, is the key to success for producers.

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lbs.) \$62-63.

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70.50; (500-600 lbs.) \$62.25-70.50; (600-700 lbs.) \$62-71.50;
(700-800 lbs.) \$64.75-65; (800-900 lbs.) \$63.

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1,575 lbs.) \$53.75-55; Bulls, YG 1 (1,200-2,000 lbs.), \$45-
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& Choice (300-400 lbs.), \$60-80.

Control of the Damping-Off Disease
Soon many of you will be sowing your vegetable seeds
and probably 50% of your young seedlings will end up
dead because of the damping-off disease. For damping-off
control, prevention is the key! The following control plan
may help your seedling escape the disease: (1) Start with
a pathogen-free work area. Work benches and containers
should be disinfected by using a chlorox solution. (2) Use
pathogen-free seed that is treated with a protectant
fungicide when possible. Thiram is the most common
treatment. (3) Use a pathogen-free soil mix or a soil-less
seedling mix. Soil mixes should be assumed to be contami-
nated until they are steam treated or fumigated. Although
soil-less media can contain damping-off fungi and are not
usually treated, growers seldom have severe damping-off
problems. (4) Provide the proper temperature and light
for optimum plant growth. When temperature is too low,
the resulting increased time to grow a seedling to trans-
plant stage increases the chance for damping-off to
develop. Lowlight intensity can result in "leggy" plants that
can be especially susceptible to damping-off. (5) Avoid
extended periods when plant and soil surfaces remain wet.
Wet conditions promote damping-off caused by both
Pythium and Rhizoctonia fungi. Adjust watering times so
that plant surfaces dry off before night. (6) Fill your
planting containers near to the top with the soil media.
Good ventilation across the soil surface can help control
damping-off.

Don't get in a hurry to start your seedlings. Plan the
date that you would like to transplant the seedling to the
garden and sow your seeds according to the germination
and culture recommendation that are on most seed
packages.

Seed Treatments for Field Crops
Historically, seedcorn maggots have more of a problem
during consecutive wet years, when populations are
favored during mid-season. Cool, wet springs also render
the slow-growing seeds of early crops more vulnerable to
seedcorn maggot attack. If cool weather continues during
planting, these maggots may damage seeds in corn,
soybean, and many vegetable crops. Fields that are chosen
most frequently for egg laying are those with less than
adequate drainage, fields following fallow acreage or old
sod, and fields that have high concentrations of organic
matter. Fields that have had frequent manure applications
are at the greatest risk for an infestation to develop.

Three-way seed treatment combinations containing
diazinon, lindane, and the fungicide captan have been
used for years to protect germinating seed against seed-
corn maggots and seedcorn beetles at a relatively low cost.
Note that just because the seed is colored, indicating that
it is treated, does not mean that it is treated with an
insecticide at a high enough rate for maggot control in the
field. Planter-box seed treatments are recommended when
planting into cool, wet soils where there are high rates of
crop residue and/or manure. If lindane is included, the
seed will also be protected against low levels of wire-
worms. However, keep in mind that once the kernels
sprout, there is little to no protection. So it will not
provide control against grubs, rootworms, or high infes-
tations of wireworms. Note: Seed treatments containing
diazinon can no longer be used on soybeans. Lindane is
still legal to use, but there are few products available with
a combination of lindane and captan. Some seed treat-
ment products containing insecticides and fungicides are
as follows: Agrox 2-Way, Blue Ribbon Protector (diaz-
inon+captan); Isotox Seed Treater-F (lindane+captan);
Agrox-DL Plus (diazinon+lindane+captan); Germate Plus
(diazinon+lindane+carboxin). Make sure you read and
follow label directions on all of these products.

SoyDiesel Cruise Heads For Caribbean Using Clean Fuel

The sailing ketch "Be-
yond" and its crew of three

rode on fair winds and seas
out of Boot Key Harbor in
Florida on its way to the
Bahamas early this month,
beginning the second leg of
a two-year voyage which
will take a young couple
and their cat on a dream
voyage through the Carib-
bean and home again to the
Eastern Shore of Maryland.
It's been roughly three
months since the crew first
left its home slip in Salis-
bury, Md., and then Wikan-
der's Boat Yard in Eden,
Md., on a cruise in which
they are burning an envi-
ronmentally friendly new
fuel called biodiesel in their
Yanmar inboard diesel.

The fuel, made from
soybean oil by NOPEC
Corp. of Lakeland, Fla., is
being provided in part by
the Maryland Soybean
Board and NOPEC to
promote its use among
boaters. Biodiesel, marketed
by NOPEC as "BioBooster,"
reduces the smell and
smoke from diesel engines
while providing greater
lubrication than petroleum
diesel. It may be burned
"neat" or in blends with
petroleum diesel in any
diesel engine. When burned

neat, users often compare
the smell to that of french
fries frying.

In their stint as "biodiesel
ambassadors," the pair have
converted diesel users wher-
ever they went. In Charle-
ston, S.C., they paused to
celebrate the debut of Bio-
Booster at the BOAT/U.S.
store there. Sailmaker Tom
Dignam of Sobstad Sails
was enlisted to recut the ill-
fitting mainsail. In addition
to a paycheck, Dignam
received enough biodiesel
from Beyond's supply to
burn a 20 percent blend in
his 13-year-old Mercedes
300D.

"I could not believe it
worked so quickly!" Dignam
said later. "There was no
more smoke."

A. Deane Neilan, manag-
er of Martek and former
employer of Beyond's Capt.
Jim MacNeil, specializes in
the installation and repair
of sophisticated marine
electronic equipment in
Stevensville, Md. His late-
model Mercedes received
BioBooster from the An-
napolis BOAT/U.S. store,
and began running much
smoother, a result of in-
creased cetane levels from
biodiesel.

"When I took the car to
have the mandatory emis-
sions test performed,"
Neilan said, "the technician
completed the test, shook
his head in amazement and
said, 'Never seen one pass
like that before.'"

Neilan kept his little trick
a secret and drove off leav-
ing the confused technician
in a cloud of sweet-smelling
exhaust.

Biodiesel is available
through select BOAT/U.S.
stores and at some Florida
marinas. Chesapeake Bay
boaters could see biodiesel
at marinas as early as this
spring.

As a nontoxic and biode-
gradable fuel, biodiesel use
is especially attractive in
sensitive marine areas such
as the Chesapeake Bay and
the Florida Keys. Beyond
sailed into the Keys, em-
broiled in debate over ex-
panding a marine sanctuary,
right about the time a tank-
er grounded on a reef,
threatening to spill petro-
leum across the delicate
ecosystem, early this year.

"Burning non-polluting
biodiesel has made us much
more conscious of environ-
mental issues," says Mac-
Neil, 30. "The National
Oceanic and Atmospheric
Association is currently
trying to include much of
the Keys in a protected
marine sanctuary and to
make zones where ships
may not travel, in an at-
tempt to ward off the po-
tential for environmental
damage to the Keys, its
reefs, marine life and coast-
line.

"Many residents fear,
however, that such restric-
tions will limit sportfishing
and recreational activities
within the zone and are
against such measures...
Hopefully some compro-
mise will be found to satisfy
everyone."

MacNeil and first mate
Rebecca Payne, 25, have
spent about a month in
Florida, awaiting a new
engine coupler after Beyond
developed a vibration in the
drive train. A new wind
generator has been installed
now, too, to recharge Be-
yond's batteries and create
electricity in an environ-
mentally benign and eco-
nomical fashion.

"We've made several
snorkeling trips out to the
reefs to observe these de-
licate ecosystems," MacNeil
reports. "Rebecca and I

have found that the abun-
dant variety of sea-life
we encounter makes us feel
as though we are swimming
in someone's aquarium."

In Titusville, Fla., a
momma manatee and her
youngster gave the sailors a
close-up view of en-
dangered marine wildlife
when they frolicked in a
garden hose water trickling
off the dock.

These close encounters
and the breathtaking beauty
of the Keys' waters in vary-
ing shades of aquamarine,

turquoise and sapphire blue
have enraptured the sailors.
In the ship's log, off the
coast of Florida, MacNeil
wrote the following entry:

"Wow! What a night.
Phosphorescence so bright
you could almost read by it.
Saw a falling star in the
western sky so bright and
close that it lit up the wa-
ter. Just can't put a price on
a night like this to be
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April 28th through May 2, 1997.

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Program To Note Proper Behaviors In World Business

A program called "Global Relations in the Business World," scheduled at Garrett Community College this month, will focus on understanding acceptable ways to relate to people from other countries in a business environment.

Speakers will address such issues as how close to stand to a person and what gestures are appropriate or inappropriate. Presenters will advise on do's and don'ts in various countries.

Irmgard Koscielniak will speak on Austria and Poland, Margaret Beadle on Great Britain, Dorothy Bittinger on Germany, and Mel Menker on Israel.

Manning Smith and Tom Kierstead from GCC will assist with this program, which is scheduled to be held on Secretaries' Day, Wednesday, April 23, from 4:30 to 6:30 p.m. in the auditorium of the McHenry campus.

Anyone wishing to register or to get more information may call Tammy Manthos, associate professor of office technology, at 387-3015. This program is free.



SECRETARIES' DAY, April 23, will be observed at Garrett Community College with a presentation coordinated by students and staff for business people called "Global Relations in the Business World." Speakers will focus on how patterns of etiquette differ between nations. Office technology students are pictured as they plan the program for Secretaries' Day. From left to right, they are Judy Sconyers, Marilyn, Malcolm, and Lisa Roth. Tammy Manthos, associate professor of office technology, works with them.

Shriners Selling Vidalia Onions

Local members of the Ali Ghan Shrine Club, Cumberland, will be conducting their annual sale of vidalia onions this weekend at three locations in Garrett County.

Shriners will be posted at Browning's Foodland and Farmers' Market in Oakland on Friday and Saturday, as well as at Johnny's Bait House at Deep Creek Lake.

Proceeds from the onion sales support the various philanthropic activities of the Shrine Club.

Swerbinsky Is Accepted At UM



Joseph J. Swerbinsky, son of Joseph and Debora Swerbinsky, Mtn. Lake Park, has been accepted to attend the University of Maryland, College Park campus. He will enter the university this fall and plans to major in computer science.

The student is a senior at Southern High School. He has been a member of the school's golf team for four years. His awards include being named to Who's Who Among American High School Students for four years, Athlete of the Month (golf), and the Minds in Motion award. He has also achieved honor roll status.

Joseph is a member of St. Peter's Catholic Church in Oakland.

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BITTINGER NEWS

Bethesda Church of the Brethren recently began a youth group. The next meeting will be May 3 from 3 to 6 p.m. Each meeting will involve games, crafts, Bible study, and refreshments. Any interested youth may contact Diana McKenzie.

The Bittering Lutheran Parish will hold a joint worship service this Sunday beginning at 10 a.m. There will be no Sunday School and a coffee hour will follow the service.

The Bittering Volunteer Firemen recently took the wives and women of the Auxiliary out for an appreciation dinner.

Beulah Moon recently accompanied Larry and Ellen Moon to Fort Eustis, Va., where their son, PV2 James Moon, received his wings as an honor graduate from Apache Helicopter Maintenance School. He will leave May 8 for a tour of duty in Korea.

Emmanuel's women of the ELCA met April 10 with 12 members attending. Jenny Hady, president, presided. Ferne Beachy gave the card report and a report on the recent tea party at the Goodwill Menonite Home. Easter baskets were delivered to the Easter family by Connie Beachy and Ferne Beachy. Of the 26 comforters made, four were given to the House of Hope, one was presented to Pastor Mark and family, and 20 to Lutheran World Relief. A note of thanks was received from the House of Hope.

Health kits need to be at the church by May 4. Ferne Beachy, Beulah Moon, Lottie Brennehan, Mary Simpson and Linda Buckel will be attending the Monongahela Mountain Spring Cluster meeting at Holy Trinity Church in Elkins on April 19. Beulah Moon is chairman of the committee for fellowship following the service.

Ruth DiPaolo was leader of the study program "Song of Faithfulness" based on the Bible passage John 20:1-18. The meeting closed with the missionary benediction.

ELCA WOMEN MEET Women of the ELCA, Zion Lutheran Church, Jennings, held their monthly meeting in the church on April 10, with an attendance of four.

Leota Baker led the study, "The Call of Moses - Mission in the Name of the Lord."

Judy Stanton presided over the business meeting. Thank-you cards were received from Pendleton Nursing Home, Franklin, W.Va., and The Lutheran Home, Kane, Pa., for packages recently sent by Zion's unit.

Announcement was made of the spring assembly of the Monongahela Valley-Mountain Chester Women of the ELCA, which will be held April 19, at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, Elkins, W.Va. The theme of the assembly will be "God is Love."

A package of 30 potholders made by the group, oven mitts, hand cream, and items of women's clothing was sent to The Lutheran Home in Kane, Pa. Six baby quilts have been made and sent to Our Savior's Lutheran Church, Box Elder, Montana, for their layette ministry on the Rocky Boy Indian Reservation.

State Jobless Rate Steady; County's Rises

Maryland's job market was little changed in February. Milder than normal weather conditions helped to stave off anticipated seasonal layoffs in the construction industry and to maintain the unemployment rate at 4.9 percent.

"Although the state's unemployment rate remained the same in February, it is more than half a percentage point lower than a year ago," said Governor Parris N. Glendening. "Also encouraging is that for several months, employment numbers have continuously reached record high totals, and our unemployment rate consistently remained lower than the national rate."

Meanwhile, Garrett County's jobless rate increased from 13.8 percent in January to 14.7 percent in February. The rate for February of last year was 14.5 percent.

Nationally, the unemployment rate was 5.7 percent. Across the state, February's unemployment rates included levels as low as 2.4 percent in Montgomery County, 2.7 percent in Howard County, 3.7 percent in Calvert County, and 3.9 percent in both Charles and Anne Arundel counties.

When seasonally adjusted, Maryland's unemployment rate dropped slightly from 4.6 percent in January to 4.5 percent in February.

During February, while more Marylanders found employment, about 2400 additional job seekers were looking for work. Employment, while only slightly changed, rose to a record high for the month of 2,578,791. The number of unemployed people inched up to 134,489.

Recall activity boosted employment in a number of industries in February, including educational services, manufacturing, construction, and state/local government. These upturns were supplemented by hiring in trucking, business services, personal services and at restaurants and engineering/management firms.

Western Maryland's unemployment, unlike in other regions of the state, rose over the month from 8.1 percent to 8.7 percent. Layoffs in construction and

manufacturing, in particular, contributed to rising joblessness in both Allegany and Garrett counties.

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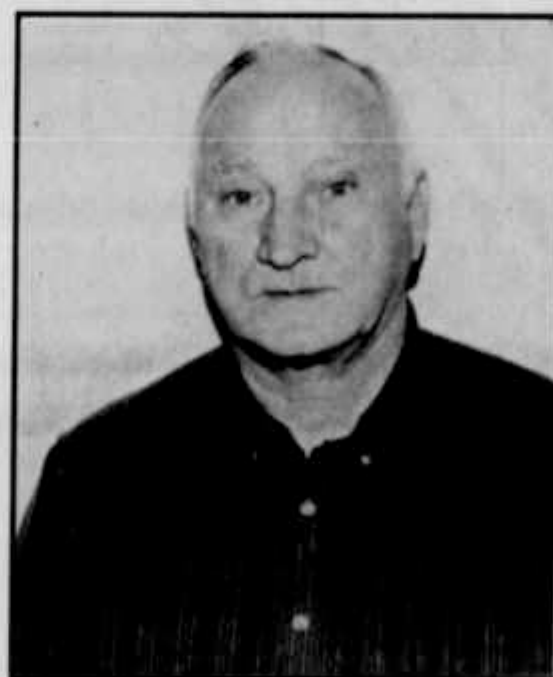
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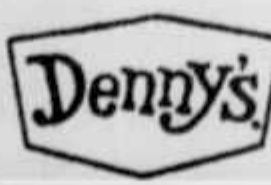


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Junior Ferguson

Congratulations to Junior Ferguson of Oakland. Junior has been chosen as the KHJ/Denny's Most Valuable Person for March. Junior is a most valuable person because he donates his time and energy to help others. He is known as "The Cookie Man." In 1996, he baked over 9,000 cookies, which he shared with the Red Cross, Southern Girls basketball team, friends and neighbors. Junior donates much of his time to Hospice of Garrett County, the Red Cross and the historical society. He helps in the kitchen at fundraising dinners for the Southern Girls basketball team. Junior has a wonderful collection of dolls which he is always willing to share with friends and neighbors. Junior always has a smile for everyone along with encouraging words for young and old alike. Junior has two daughters and a son, but there are also many people in our community who have become Junior's "adopted" children and grandchildren. No one is a stranger to Junior Ferguson. Thank you, Junior Ferguson, for helping to make our community a better place to live. You really are a Most Valuable Person. Congratulations from Denny's Restaurant in Oakland and Western Maryland's Best, KHJ!



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Workplace Harassment In Grantsville Leads To PBJ In Court For Pa. Man

An employee of the Flushing Shirt Company in Grantsville was handed a probation before judgment (PBJ) in last week's Garrett County District Court for ongoing harassment of a fellow factory employee.

William Wesner, 50, Johnstown, Pa., entered an alford plea of guilty to a charge of harassment. In addition to the PBJ, District Court Judge Ralph M. Burnett gave Wesner a 30-day suspended sentence, a \$255 fine, and placed him on one year of unsupervised probation.

According to the complainant's statement of charges, Wesner's uninvited

romantic advances began at the workplace nearly two years ago. She alleged that since June of 1995, Wesner has repeatedly told her of his love for her, called her at home, followed her home and to her child's day care, continually drove back and forth in front of her residence, and placed gifts in her unattended car. At one point he reportedly invited her to fly away to London with him.

The complainant stated that she flatly refused all of Wesner's overtures, and continually asked him to stop harassing her. Eventually Wesner's supervisor intervened at the woman's

request, but she reported that Wesner continued the activity in a more secretive fashion, allegedly following her about in his car and on foot.

Wesner's PBJ means that he will not receive a criminal record in the case if he complies with the terms of his probation, which states that he must have no further contact with the victim.

In other district court news, Judge Burnett handed a probation before judgment to a Mountain Lake Park man on an assault charge stemming from a January domestic dispute. Robert J. Sebold, 29, who had pleaded not guilty to the charge of second degree assault, received a \$105 fine and was placed on one day of unsupervised probation.

The complainant alleged that Sebold argued with her over who was going to claim their child on their taxes. As the argument escalated into a physical altercation between the two, she alleged that Sebold hit her, and subsequently filed the assault charge against him.

An ongoing harassment case involving an Oakland woman was placed on the stet docket. Cynthia Ross, 43, stood accused of assault and harassment resulting from a complaint filed against her by another woman. Ross had reportedly been harassing the complainant since last August, and allegedly assaulted her at Milrose Service in Oakland on February 18. In placing Ross's case on the stet docket, Judge Burnett reserved the right to have the charges recalled within the next 365 days if the court deems it necessary.

A trespassing case against James R. Henderson, 44, Aurora, W.Va., was placed on the stet docket. The charges stemmed from a January domestic dispute with his wife at her Oakland residence. Judge Burnett further ordered Henderson not to be found at or near his wife's apartment on Buena Vista Drive.

Charges against a Marianna, Pa., woman stemming from an August 1996 dispute were not prosecuted by the state's attorney's office. Margaret E. Rasel, 48, had been accused of battery and malicious destruction of property.

DWI Cases
Several DWI (driving



THE FRESH AIR CHILDREN from New York City will be residing in Garrett County July 14 - 28. The annual summer program provides local residents with the opportunity to share the joys and wonders of rural living with inner-city youngsters. Some of these children will have their first experience of swimming in a lake, catching a fish, or seeing a deer in the wild through the program. Persons interested in hosting a Fresh Air child in their home are asked to contact: Alice Orendorf at 245-4326; Don Matthews at 334-4422; Eleanor Yoder at 814-662-2878; or Sarah Yoder at 814-634-5909. Here a Fresh Air youngster and a hereford calf enjoy getting to know one another.

while intoxicated) and DUI (driving under the influence of alcohol and/or drugs) cases were heard in district court last week.

Harry William Mayle Sr., 60, Md., pleaded guilty to DWI and was fined \$555, sentenced to two years in jail, one year of which was suspended, and placed on two years of supervised probation. Conditions of Mayle's probation include a two-year alcohol restriction on his driver's license, and he is ordered to receive addictions counseling while serving his jail sentence.

David Charles Wilburn, 40, Md., was sentenced on an earlier DWI conviction. He received a \$300 fine, suspended, and a six-month jail sentence, 30 days of which were suspended.

Billie Jo Everidge, 28, Oakland, was found guilty of violating her DWI probation. The judge ordered sanctions withheld.

Finally, James Matthew Lueck, 32, Md., was found not guilty on a DWI charge stemming from a January traffic stop on Bear Creek Road east of Friendsville. The same traffic stop brought Lueck a \$93 fine for failing to drive to the right of the center lane.

Contractors Must Possess Licensure

Eugene A. Conti Jr., secretary of the Maryland Department Labor, Licensing and Regulation (DLLR), reminds homeowners to use only licensed contractors to repair damages resulting from the winter weather. Because the arrival of spring usually prompts a flurry of home improvement activity in Maryland, DLLR advises homeowners to use caution before entering into home improvement contracts.

"Homeowners begin to make repairs and improvements to their property as soon as the weather breaks," said Secretary Conti. "Marylanders are encouraged to follow guidelines established by the Maryland Home Improvement Commission (MHIC), and most importantly, to avoid using unlicensed contractors."

MHIC, an agency working in the interest of consumers using Maryland's home improvement industry, urges Marylanders to use only licensed contractors for work done on their homes.

The Home Improvement Guaranty Fund can compensate homeowners for monetary losses caused by poor workmanship or failure to perform work specified in their contracts. An individual homeowner can recover up to \$10,000 from the fund, only if the contractor is licensed.

MHIC works to assist homeowners in safeguarding their consumer rights, and has established the following guidelines for consumers:

1. To make sure that the contractor is currently li-

These issues should be brought to the immediate attention of the MHIC. The Commission investigates more than 3,000 complaints each year. Consumers are reminded to deal only with licensed contractors in or-

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DEER PARK

On April 14 the council met and reviewed concerns of the town.

•Wendell Beitzel of Garrett County Sanitary District addressed those present on the status of the installation of the town sewer system. Pipes are being laid. The system will link to the Trout Run Waste Water Plant.

•A committee from Deer Park continues working with Garrett County Office of Planning and Zoning to develop town ordinances. A public hearing on their proposals will be scheduled in the near future.

•The town will pick-up bulk trash from in front of residents' homes on May 5, 12, and 19. A fee will be levied for removal of certain items because the town will need to pay to dispose of them. Further announcements will be made prior to those dates.

The next meeting will be held May 12.

FRIENDSVILLE

The mayor and council held a town meeting on Tuesday, April 15.

•Rodney Giotfelty, director of Garrett County Office of Solid Waste and Recycling, presented information on the benefits of a voluntary recycling program. He is willing to work with the town as it sets up a municipal voluntary recycling program. The members of the Rotary and Lions clubs have offered to work with the council in developing this initiative and related public education programs.

•The mayor and council are considering a request by the Friendsville VFD to put the department siren in the town parking lot adjacent to the fire hall.

•Members of the town planning and zoning commission will meet with Jim Torrington of the Garrett County Office of Planning and Zoning to update town zoning ordinances.

•County Commissioners will meet with the mayor and council members on May 20 to discuss matters of mutual concern.



"WALK FOR HOSPICE" SLATED SATURDAY - Hospice of Garrett County's "Walk for Hospice" Committee recently met at Deep Creek Lake State Park to make final preparations for the event, which is slated for this Saturday, April 19, at the park. Registration is to begin at 9 a.m. and the walk will begin at 10. Students may pick up registration forms at the guidance offices of the county high and middle schools. Other members of the public may obtain them at any branch of the Ruth Enlow Library or by calling Hospice at 334-5151. Several prizes will be awarded to participants. Those raising \$25 will receive a Hospice T-shirt. Those who bring in \$50 will get the T-shirt as well as a tote bag, and a golf umbrella will be added to gifts for those raising \$100. A mountain bike, purchased and donated by First United National Bank & Trust, will be given to the person who raises the most money. Other donors for this event include H&R Block, LAOC Coal Company, and the Deep Creek Lake Lions Club. Refreshments will be served after the walk. Pictured left to right are Carol Walker, park ranger; Brenda Butcher, Hospice executive director; Judy Wilt, Hospice board member; and Debra Nichols of Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

The next town meeting will be held Monday, May 5.

MTN. LAKE PARK

The council met on April 8 to review town issues.

•The bid for town insurance covering machinery and general liability was awarded to BGS&G Insurance Company.

•The council approved applications for residential building permits.

•Letters have been sent to town residents who are delinquent on property and sewer tax. If payment is not received by April 18, the unpaid accounts will be turned over to the town attorney for legal action.

•April 28 to May 2 will be spring clean-up week. The town will collect leaves, brush, and tree limbs from in front of homes. No heavy household items will be taken at this time.

•Harold Murphy, town foreman and street superintendent, was instructed to check and report on good, used trucks for the town to purchase. Murphy then gave an update on street improvements and further paving projects.

•A presentation was made by Sheldon Dearden, consultant to Garrett Community Action, Inc., on plans for constructing a house on E-Street. Community Action will fund the project and Southern High School students will build it. The council approved the plans pending acquisition of appropriate building permits.

•The announcement was made that the state has taken no action yet on the request for installation of a sidewalk on Oak Street.

The next meeting of the town council will be held April 22.

SWANTON NEWS

Orval and Mareva Teets attended the April meeting of Unit #103, National Assn. of Retired and Veteran Railway Employees, Inc., in LaVale last Wednesday.

Betty Wildesen hosted a birthday dinner for her husband Harley on Sunday. Family members in attendance were: Harold, Chris, and Jonathon Wildesen, Crellin, Gerald, Sheila, Darren, and David Wildesen and Jessica Savage, Mtn. Lake Park; Darrell, Susan, April, and Justin Wildesen, Wellersburg, Pa.; and Richard Sr., Richie Jr., Christa, Shannon, and Michaela Wildesen, Mtn. Lake Park.

Randy and Lawre Virts hosted a birthday party for their son Zachary on Sunday at the Community Center. Approximately 40 guests attended.

Fannie and Bob Rizer, Savage River Road, visited Orval and Mareva Teets last Thursday. Guests of the Teetses on Sunday were Steve, Lucinda and Amber Davis, Lance, Erin, and Rett Rhodes, and Linda and John Fleming.

On Sunday a birthday dinner party for Crystal Teets of Deer Park was hosted by her parents, Fannie and Bob Rizer, at their home along Savage River Road. Others attending were: Charles, Josh, Megan, and Matthew Teets, Deer Park; Wandell and Steffanie Feaster, New Creek, W.Va.; and Neal, Audrey, and Tasha Rizer, Savage River Road.

Ellis Harvey has been confined to his home by illness for several days.

OTTERBEIN U.M. CHURCH NEWS

Last Tuesday evening Steve Davis, Harley Wildesen, Carl Lee, Ray Sweitzer, Jim Baker, Orval Teets, and Richard Gerlach attended the Brotherhood setting at Paradise United Methodist Church. The May meeting will be held at McHenry U.M. Church on May 14. The April prayer breakfast will be held at Casselman Restaurant, Grantsville, on April 26, 7:30 a.m.

United Methodist Women met at the church on April 8. A devotional program, "Lost in the Wilderness," was led by Barbara Rexroad. Reading program certificates were awarded to Louise Beckman, Mary June Harvey, Barbara Rexroad and Dorothy Hatcher for completing Plan I, and to Betty Wildesen for completing Plan II. The May meeting will be held May 14 at Mareva Teets's home.

COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION

The association meeting will be held April 21, at 7:30 p.m. Members or interested persons are urged to attend.

CWU Plan Day Resh Awarded Of Fellowship FSU Scholarship

Plans are underway for the May Fellowship Day, sponsored by Church Women United. The event will take place at Bethel United Methodist Church, Mtn. Lake Park, on May 2.

CWU members in Arizona developed the theme for the program, "Growing Seeds in Prepared Soil." The group said they were inspired by seeds found to be descended from 1000-year-old seeds that were germinating and growing.

The Fellowship of the Least Coins will also be sponsored by the CWU. Through this initiative, coins of the lowest denomination are collected from all countries of the world. The proceeds of this collection will be used to fund grants for programs that promote justice for women and children.

Registration for the May Fellowship Day will be held at 11:30 a.m. on May 2. This will be followed by a brief business meeting, and a covered dish luncheon. The program will begin at 1 p.m.

Members of Church Women United invite the public to attend this service.



Erin Melissa Resh, daughter of Gary and Debra Resh, Grantsville, has been awarded a Merit Scholarship by Frostburg State University. Resh will graduate this year from Northern High School.

Resh plans to major in

mathematics at FSU, with the career goal of teaching mathematics on the secondary level.

At Northern High School, Resh is a member of the National Honor Society and the NHS Chorus, and participated in the NHS Talent Show. She was named a Maryland Distinguished Scholar Semi-finalist and a Tandy Technology Scholar, and was listed in Who's Who Among American High School Students.

Resh is also a member of the Grantsville Community Choir and the youth group of the Maranatha Assembly of God in Grantsville.

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FRIENDSVILLE NEWS

BLOODMOBILE TO VISIT

The Red Cross Bloodmobile will be at the Laurel Church of God, White Rock Road, on Friday, May 2, from noon-6 p.m.

ASHER GLADE CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

Saturday, April 19, at 7 p.m. a church board meeting is planned at the church.

Sunday, April 20, the 19th annual district Song Fest will be held at Salem Church of the Brethren, Salem, W.Va. Everyone is welcome.

Wednesday, April 23, at 7:30 p.m. bible study is planned followed by choir practice at 8:30 p.m.

Sunday, April 27, at 2:30 p.m. the Asher Glade Brethren congregation is responsible for nursing home visitations at South Fayette, Markleysburg, and Henry Clay Villa, Rt. 40.

LUTHERAN

W.E.L.C.A. members met at the church Monday, April 7, with Geraldine Turney, pres., conducting the meeting. Pauline Faucett presented the topic for discussion, titled "Something to Call Your Own."

METHODIST

The 16th annual Spiritual Retreat will be held Friday, April 25, and Saturday, April 26, at Hickory Environmental Center, near Northern schools. Registration is at 6 p.m. The cost is \$15 per person for an overnight stay and two meals. The Friendsville Methodist charge will have refreshments Friday evening. Holy communion is set for Saturday at 6 p.m.

The Brotherhood met Tuesday evening at Selby'sport United Methodist Church with 35 members attending. The Selby'sport U.M.W. served a dinner. Leah Huber, Mill Run, and

Donna and Tom Baker, Selby'sport, played instruments and sang hymns for the program.

Pastor Milliren was in charge of the dinner meeting. The Friendsville Church will serve in May.

SCOUT NEWS

Girl Scout Troop #5569 met Tuesday after school. There were seven adults and 23 girls present. Balinda Benedict took roll, Karen Benedict collected dues, and Debbie DeWitt served refreshments.

The girls were put into groups. Pat Williamson helped them select the menu for camp. Janey Luke helped the scouts find a name for their group. Tammie Uphold and Balinda Benedict showed them how to build a fire, and Karen Benedict showed them how to make a bedroll. The girls will be going to camp in July.

The meeting for April 22 will be for third grade girls only. They are asked to bring their handbooks and canceled, stamped envelopes.

The next meeting for all girls will be April 29.

LIONS CLUB NEWS

The Friendsville Lions Club met April 10 at Twila's Restaurant in Friendsville. This was a Region 1, Zone 1, District 22 W zone meeting, with 16 members of the Friendsville club and 28 members of other lions and lionesses clubs present.

President Ken Metheny conducted the meeting. Visitors from the Oakland-Mtn. Lake Park Lions, Deep Creek Lions and Lionesses Clubs, and Kitzmiller Lions clubs were also present.

The election of the new officers was conducted. Two new members were approved to join the club.

Charter night will be conducted on May 3 at the Sand Spring Church of God at 6:30 p.m. All members are urged to attend.

On May 4 from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. the annual ramp dinner will be held at the fire hall in Friendsville. This dinner is sponsored by the Friendsville Volunteer Fire Department, the Rotary Club, and the Lions Club.

It was also voted to hold inter-zone softball games at the community park sometime in the future.

The next meeting of the Lions club will be April 24 at 6:30 p.m. at Twila's Restaurant. Anyone wishing to join the club should contact any member of the club. Everyone should plan to attend.

WOMEN TO MEET

The Friendsville Country Women will meet at the home of Ellen Humberson on Wednesday, April 23, at 1 p.m. for lunch.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Beitzel and children, and Cliff Schrock, Springs, Pa.,

Pastor Robert Milliren, and Janice Fisher were visitors of Ms. Evelyn Friend and daughter Leota.

Ms. Nancy Gribble and grandson K.C. Salmer, Rockwood, Pa., were Sunday dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Ray Friend. Visitors were Pastor Milliren and Richard Friend.

Dinner guests of Margaret Shoemaker various days last week were: Gena MacMillen, Ms. Catharine Mitchell, and Rick Shoemaker. Callers were Mrs. Pat Pryor, Ms. Genne Serio, Theresa Wells-Burgess, Sue Gatto, Ed Reed, Jim and Dot Spear, daughter Paula, and her sons Kody and Clint.

Mr. and Mrs. A.T. Friend visited their son Terry and Michael Hirboldschneider, LaVale, on Tuesday and were visitors of Charles Friend and Eleanor Teats, Hazelton, W.Va., too.

Ms. Catharine Mitchell moved to Yough West, Oakland, on Friday from Friendship Apartments here.

Theresa Wells-Burgess returned home Saturday evening after a two-month vacation in the Everglades area, Fla., with relatives and friends.

Betty Cassidy and daughter Trish, Luray, Va., visited on Friday with Sue Gatto. H.N. Carissa (Layman) Lawson had dinner with her grandparents, Glen and Doris Frazee, on Thursday, April 10. She was on her way to the naval base in Virginia. She graduated April 9 from a five-month corpsman school in Chicago, Ill., with a 97.3 pt. average and third in her class of 35 classmates. Ken Mc-

Cully, Jacksonville, Fla., flew to Chicago to accompany Carissa to the home of Glen and Doris and on to Virginia, and then to his Florida home.

Mr. Ed Reed returned home last Thursday from Monongalia General Hospital, Morgantown, where he had been a patient for a week. He is reportedly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Liset, Ellicott City, visited with David Pryor at the Goodwill Home, Grantsville, and had lunch with Mrs. David Pryor at Casselman Hotel, Grantsville, on Tuesday.

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The chorus will sing a wide variety of music, Peterson said, from Broadway tunes to religious, barbershop, and secular numbers. "Once we get going, we plan to sing in area churches, for special events, and perhaps have our own concert, depending upon the level of interest and participation," Peterson said.

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'97 DODGE STRATUS 4 dr, AT, PS, PB, PW, PL, AC, 18, red, 51K WAS \$17,820 NOW \$17,200*	'97 DODGE RAM 2500 4x4 5.7 1800, club cab, 5.8 V8, AT, PS, PB, PW, PL, red, 51K WAS \$27,867 NOW \$25,000*	'95 FORD RANGER 4x4, club cab, 5 spd, V6, 26K, red, alum, white WAS \$15,700 NOW \$15,000	'94 FORD RANGER 4x4, reg. cab, 5 spd, 4 cyl, 35K, blue, alum, white WAS \$11,175 NOW \$10,800	'92 DODGE RAM 50 5 spd, 4x4, reg. cab, PS, alum, white, 44K, green WAS \$9,500 NOW \$9,200
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'91 OLDS 98 3.8 V6, AT, AC, CR, 18, loaded, white, 70K WAS \$12,000 SALE \$11,300 NOW \$10,500	'90 PONTIAC BONNEVILLE 3.8 V6, PS, PB, PW, PL, AC, CR, 18, maroon, clean WAS \$8,990 SALE \$8,500 NOW \$6,000	'90 GRAND VOYAGER 3.3 V6, loaded, MD insp, black cherry/woodgrain WAS \$8,000 SALE \$5,500 NOW \$5,000	'89 PLYMOUTH VOYAGER 3.0 V6, loaded, AC, CR, 18, med. red WAS \$7,480 SALE \$7,000 NOW \$6,500	'87 OLDS DELTA 88 3.8 V6, AC, CR, 18, AT, red, 82K, clean WAS \$4,995 NOW \$4,500

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talked about this for a long time and it was agreed that a total re-structuring would take place.

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Glendening stated, "It was imperative to deliver these resources as quickly as possible. Had we failed to pass this bill, we would have placed the future of thousands of Baltimore City students in peril. The members of the General Assembly who voted for this legislation can walk out of this State House with their heads held high for what they did to help children, the faces of whom they may never see."

"At the same time, we recognized that other jurisdictions have educational needs as well," the governor continued, which is why the legislature approved \$33.4 million this year, with a commitment for over \$167 million in additional funding over the next five years, for the state's 23 counties.

Other legislation signed by the governor will provide for the elimination or consolidation of 50 overlapping reporting requirements in local and state agencies. The implementation of this legislation is apparently expected to save the state



WHAT CENTURY IS THIS, ANYWAY? Although one might think the year written on the board should read 1897, these recent pictures capture Friendsville Elementary's fifth grade students taking their lessons in the one-room Old Compton School at Spruce Village in Grantsville. A full-day field trip to learn the history of Garrett County began with a private tour of the village, after which the students attended regular classes in the old log schoolhouse. Above, the boys appear to carry on the time-honored tradition of youngsters segregating themselves by the sexes. Old-timers may recall that the worst punishment

doled out for misbehavior used to be for offender to have to sit next to someone of the opposite sex for a day! Pictured with his back to the camera is Josh Jenkins, in the next row L-R are Nick Savage, Gary Friend, and Andrew Frantz, and in the last row L-R are Shawn Rodeheaver, Jason Thomas, and Kris Carr. Below, teacher Ross Giotfely and his class listen as a student reads from an essay on the way people used to live in this area. In the foreground, L-R, are Josh Jenkins, Elaine Coaner, and Laura Benedict.

about \$118,000 annually.

"Currently, there are too many unnecessary and duplicative reports required of local and state agencies, which cause extra work and cost extra money at state taxpayers' expense," the governor said.

A package of four "Smart Growth" bills were passed, designed to "turn the tide against sprawl in favor of common sense development that will conserve precious natural resources." The four components are as follows:

Brownfields, which is a program to permit the clean-up development of abandoned industrial sites in urban areas without unfairly penalizing the potential developer for previous environmental pollution on the site;

Priority Funding, or "Smart Growth" areas, which



will allow the state to direct existing housing, transportation, and infrastructure funding towards those areas specifically designated by local jurisdictions for growth;

Rural Legacy, or the Greenbelts Program, which will work in conjunction with other existing land conservation and preservation programs to help preserve millions of acres throughout Maryland as agriculture land;

Job Creation Tax Credits, which will be given to businesses that choose to locate or expand in designated growth areas.

Edwards and other members of the Rural Caucus (a conclave of rural area representatives assembled by Edwards) paid close attention to the bill and added several components that would allow growth in rural areas that do not necessarily have existing infrastructure.

Edwards gave the examples of mining or recreation -- a mining company must go where the natural resource is located and this is not generally in an area already being developed; a ski resort developer must search for a north-facing mountain for the best results. This, too, would most likely be away from any existing growth area.

The delegate reported last week that exceptions such as these were included on the final draft of the new

legislation. The Maryland Scholarship Loan Tuition Program, originally named the Pre-Paid Tuition Program, was passed. This will create a mechanism for parents to set aside money now to help pay for their child(ren)'s college tuition in 10, 15, or 18 years. The governor said the program will make it possible for parents to afford the cost of a college education without "piling up mountains of debt."

Legislation was passed to promote programs for gifted and talented public school students. This will be an effort to help teachers and administrators more easily identify gifted students earlier in their academic careers and to create programs to challenge these students to achieve better academic results.

Legislation that will make it easier for judges to keep violent offenders in jail while they await trial was passed.

"This measure will help to make our communities safer," Glendening said. Wildlands, a measure that will add thousands of acres across the state to Maryland's existing Wildlands program, was signed. This will, according to the governor, help preserve endangered lands for future generations of Maryland residents.

Glendening commended

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Cemetery Meeting Set In Cranestown

The third annual general membership meeting of the Cranestown Cemetery Association will be at the Aldersgate Evangelical Center, Cranestown, on Monday, May 5 at 7 p.m. All members and interested persons are urged to attend.

It is requested that all winter decorations be removed from the graves so spring maintenance can begin.

Preston CVB Notes Move, Annual Meeting

The Preston County Convention and Visitors Bureau has relocated to the historic Arthurdale Center. The CVB formed in 1991 to promote tourism within the county and has had over 130 members since its inception.

To celebrate National Tourism Week, the CVB will host its annual meeting at Alpine Lake Resort on Thursday, May 15, at 7 p.m. with a dessert buffet. Any individual, business, or organization interested in the growing tourism industry is welcome to attend.

The CVB will employ an intern during the summer to canvas county businesses. She will gather information which will help develop a strategy for promoting Preston County, its businesses, and organizations.

The CVB is also compiling a calendar of events to distribute throughout the area and to those requesting information on Preston County. This calendar will be updated monthly. If any group has a fair, festival,

special event, or other activity it would like to include, or if anyone would like information about becoming a member, please contact the CVB.

The new address for the Preston County Convention and Visitors Bureau is P.O. Box 860, Arthurdale, WV 26520. Persons may also reach the CVB by calling (304) 864-4601 or toll-free at (800) 571-0912 or by FAX at (304) 864-4602.

Church To Host Gospel Quartet

The Pentecostal Holiness Church in Corinth will host the Heavenly Echo Gospel Quartet this Sunday, April 20, at 7 p.m. According to Pastor Rex Coffman, the quartet's desire is "to share the message of Christ through music, to uplift the Christian, and to bring the Gospel to the unsaved." All are invited to attend Sunday's concert.

ARMED SERVICES REVIEW

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U.S. Air Force Airman 1st Class Christopher S. Powell has graduated from the ground radar systems apprentice course at Keesler Air Force Base, Biloxi, Miss.

Graduates learned to install and repair air traffic control radar equipment. They were also instructed in electronics principles, and use of safety procedures, maintenance publications, and test equipment.

Powell is the son of Linda S. and Gary W. Powell, Terra Alta, and is a 1994 graduate of Preston High School, Kingwood.

Cemetery Meeting Slated April 26

The Pratt Cemetery Association will have its annual meeting at 7 p.m. Saturday, April 26, at Birdscreek Community Building at Birdscreek. Anyone with lots and/or interested in the cemetery, which is located near Five Forks, is urged to attend. Cemetery up-keep will be discussed.

Donations should be sent to: Pratt Cemetery Association, c/o Eugene Pratt, Route 1 Box 1226, Kingwood, WV 26537.

Spring Mountain Runs, Walk Set In Petersburg

Grant Memorial Hospital, Petersburg, will be participating in the Spring Mountain Festival activities by co-sponsoring the Spring Mountain 10-K and 5-K runs and the 5-K walk April 26 at 9 a.m. at the Petersburg Elementary School.

A special group entry of teenagers in the 5-K walk is a kickoff activity for a new program called HAPPY (Health, Accountable, Participating and Productive Youth). This program is designed exclusively for local teens, ages 14-17. Its purpose is to provide safe, healthy activities. The activities will be based on the interests and ideas of the teens by having them fill out a questionnaire.

The only requirements to be a member of the HAPPY group are to be 14-17 years old and to have parental consent (signature of parent on registration form). There is no entry fee. Free gifts, door prizes, and free T-shirts will be given to HAPPY members who finish the walk.

Men's Glee Club, Handbell Choir To Present Concert

A concert of sacred music will be presented by the Men's Glee Club and Wesley Memorial Handbell Choir of Asbury College from Wilmore, Ky., on Friday, April 18, at 7:30 p.m., in the Sanctuary of Wesley United Methodist Church, 107 W. High Street, Kingwood, W.Va.

The Men's Glee Club and Handbell Choir are touring West Virginia. The groups are under the direction of Dr. Craig Hodges and Dr. Mark Schell.

The Asbury College Men's Glee Club is the oldest active music group at the college, with over 70 years of musical tradition. The ensemble is made up of male students from many states and countries.

The Wesley Memorial Handbell Choir rings six octaves of Schulerich handbells. The ensemble was founded in 1980, following the gift of bells and equipment by Rev. and Mrs. Arthur Summers Clark. The bells were given in honor of Charles Wesley and in commemoration of their 50th college reunion.

The concert is free and open to the public. A free-will offering will be received to cover trip expenses.

AURORA/EGLON NEWS

SMORGASBORD
A smorgasbord will be served at the Aurora Methodist Memorial Building on Saturday evening, April 19, from 4:30 until 6:30 p.m. Donations for adults will be \$5, for children 6-12, \$2.50. The public is welcome.

RAMP DINNER SUNDAY APRIL 27
An annual ramp dinner at the Aurora fire hall will be served on April 27 beginning at noon and continuing until 4 p.m. Donations will be \$5 for adults, \$3.50 for children, and the event is sponsored by the Aurora Volunteer Fire Department.

TREE PLANTING CEREMONY SET
The planting of a tree, designated as honoring both the present Aurora United Methodist membership and Arbor Day, will take place at the church this Saturday, April 19, at 2 p.m. Anyone wishing to take part in the ceremony is invited to attend. In addition to the congregation, members of the Aurora Pioneer 4-H Club will participate in the ceremony. Anyone wishing to add a shovel of dirt in memory of some person is invited to do so.

CONCERT COMING
Jesus and Me (JAM), a gospel music group and members of the Living Word Fellowship in Wellsburg, Pa., will be at the Maple Grove Assembly of God Church near Horse Shoe Run on Saturday evening, April 19, at 7 p.m., and again at the 10:30 a.m. worship service on Sunday morning, April 20. The public is invited to hear the group's variety of songs and hymns.

SELL BIRTHDAY
Josephine Abernathy, daughter of the late Arthur and Ida Abernathy, who lived in Aurora, will observe her 81st birthday May 5. Cards would be appreciated from friends and relatives here as she is now residing with her daughter in Ohio, where they may be addressed to her c/o Dan Cassidy, 1522 Lynn Drive, Lancaster, Ohio 43130.

YFD DONATIONS
The following recent donations have been received by the Aurora Volunteer Fire Department, Bob Strawser, Elizabeth Lodge #151 IOOF, Claud Hartzell, Floyd Knapp, and Homer Myers.

J. JOHNSON ADDRESS
James (Jimmy) Johnson, son of Retha Johnson, Horse Shoe Run, has begun chemotherapy treatments for cancer and would appreciate prayers and cards of encouragement. They must be addressed to him at: P.O. Box 27868, Honolulu, HI 96827. He is stationed there with the Merchant Marines.

PERSONAL MENTION
Wilma Waybright, Brookside, was a recent surgical patient in a Morgantown hospital. Her daughter, Janet DeWitt, Oakland, had been at Ruby Memorial Hospital last week undergoing tests but returned Friday evening to her home. Her daughter-in-law, Lois Waybright, has completed her recuperation from recent foot surgery and is now able to be up and about.

Mildred Wilt was transferred last week from Garrett County Memorial Hospital to Cortland Acres Nursing Home at Thomas. She would appreciate cards and visits.

Kathy Hardesty, Aurora, is scheduled for Tuesday surgery in Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

Ruth Ann Peterson was taken Sunday evening to Garrett Memorial and then transferred to Cumberland Memorial Hospital for surgery and treatment. She is the niece and foster daughter of Orville and Shirley Kight, Mt. Grove.

James Bolyard, Amboy, was a patient in Garrett Memorial Hospital last Thursday and Friday with a heart ailment.

About 100 friends and relatives surprised Walter Whitehair, Aurora, on Saturday evening, April 12, at the Oak Park Church of the Brethren, Oakland. The occasion was a birthday party.

Retired School Personnel of Preston County held their regular meeting last Tuesday and those from this area who attended were David and Wilma Mae Teets, Grace Bachtel, Mel-

vin and Dove Stemple, and Hazel Durst.

A Central Cab bus tour to hear the Statler Brothers in concert at Wheeling on Thursday was enjoyed by locals Keith and Delores Douglas, Bill and Rennie Conrad, Lorain and Mary Jane Hanline, and Marie Mullenax.

Jeff and Terri Roberson, and Matt and Laura, were involved in an automobile accident on Saturday near Fairmont which destroyed their van and injured Mrs. Roberson.

TOPS #329, Horse Shoe Run, was represented at the State Recognition Day in Charleston on April 11 and 12 by Sharon Hammel, Ardis Teets, Marie Mullenax, Wilma Helmick, and Hazel Durst. Crowned queen of the losers at the ceremonies was a lady who had lost 192 pounds during 1996.

Brian Lantz has moved from his grandmother's home in Egdon to Statesville, S.C., where he will be manager at an 84 Lumber outlet there.

Bradley Teets of Stroudsburg, Pa., was a Sunday afternoon visitor with his parents, Roscoe and Ruth Teets at Egdon. He was en route to a business meeting in Roanoke.

Sunday dinner guests in the home of Judy Travis, Oakland, were Hazel and Lewis Durst, Brad, Lori,

Meghan, Kendra, and Eric Durst, Amboy, and Dr. Don and Sheila Richter and daughters, Oakland. Following dinner, they all attended the performance of *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat*.

Mrs. Lynn Broderick of Aurora is director of the presentations of *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat* and is assisted by her husband Michael, who provides musical accompaniment. Their daughters, Leah and Meghan, are in the cast as well as Meghan and Kendra Durst, Melissa Callahan, Rebecca Wotring, Randy Hinton, Jenna Partridge, Sarah McWilliam, and A.J. Delauder, all from this area, or formerly so.

Those from the Maple Spring Church of the Brethren who attended a workshop held Saturday at the Sunnyside Church of the Brethren, near Keyser, were Arvin and Rita Harsh, Pastor Daniel Hammel, Robert and Peggy Spaid, Dorothy Spaid, Marie Teets, and Jean Winters. Leading the "Does Your Church Really Care?" workshop was James Moss, known nationally for his work in developing church growth.

Geneva "Jenny" Feather of Pineview Apartments, Thomas, was taken Sunday morning to Garrett Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Feather is the daughter of the late G.C. Evanses and widow of

Clifford Feather, who was formerly an Egdon resident. Parent-teacher conferences are scheduled at the Aurora School for Monday evening, April 21, and during that time, from 5 until 8 p.m., a book fair is being planned.

Bruce, Mary, Shawn, and Craig Rembold, Egdon, were weekend visitors with Bruce's mother, Eileen Rembold, in Pittsburgh.

OBITUARY
Barbara Ann Merrow, 40, of Marietta, Ohio, died Sunday, April 6, 1997, at her home.

She was born May 1, 1956, at Aurora, a daughter of Frances Stemple, Aurora, and the late Garold Stemple.

She is survived by, in addition to her mother, her husband, Walter Merrow; one son, Aaron Merrow, at

home; one stepson, Donald Merrow and one stepdaughter, Michelle Adams, both of Marietta; one sister, Linda Sutton, of Georgia; two brothers, Robert and James Stemple, Aurora; and three grandchildren.

Services were held on April 10 from the McClure-Shaffer Funeral Home in Marietta with her pastor, the Rev. Robert Hughes, officiating. Interment was in East Lawn Memorial Park.

Barbara was a graduate of Aurora High School and a member of the Falls Harbor Church at Marietta. A long-time diabetic, she had been on dialysis for a long while. Memorials may be sent to St. Joseph's Hospital, Parkersburg, WV, for the dialysis unit or sent to her husband at: Hillsboro Trailer Court, RR 3, Box 124, Marietta, OH 45750.

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The worship service at St. John's Lutheran Church ELCA will begin at 8:30 a.m., followed by a Sunday School session at 9:30 a.m. Ladies' Aid met Wednesday night at the church. Mrs. Joann Ringer had the program and talked to the ladies about "Friends." The pastor is Rev. Roland Nairn.

St. John's Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod, worship service will begin at 9 a.m., followed by Sunday School at 10 a.m. The pastor is Rev. Douglas Kabell.

Saturday morning, April 19, at 11 a.m. there will be a special dedication of the Ruth Enlow Library, Accident Branch. They will be dedicating the new addition to the library.

Mrs. Esther (Hanft) Turney passed away Thursday morning at the Mt. View Nursing Home, Belleville, Pa. She was the oldest member of the St. John's Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod. She was born August 26, 1901, and reared at Keyser's Ridge. Her body was at Newman's Funeral Home, Grantsville, where a service was held Sunday, with Rev. Douglas Kabell officiating.

The Cove Kids 4-H Club met Thursday evening at the St. John's Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod. Because of weather conditions the trash clean-up was cancelled and will be rescheduled at a later date. A craft was made by the members to take to the Goodwill Mennonite Nursing Home today, April 17, for the spring program. Tony Bender had a demonstration on his gun rack that he made.

The Rush Baptist Youth Group was in charge of the service Sunday at the church. Jason Humbrison was the pastor and Sunday School superintendent. Melissa Collins taught the adult class. Donna Schmidt and Heather Hook taught the youth class. Becky and Rachel Schmidt had the older children's class. Joshua and Jonathon Hook had



CIVIC CLUB HELPS SALEM AT EASTER - The Civic Club of Oakland recently presented Easter muffins and other treats to children at the Salem Children's Home in northeast Garrett County. The craft group of the civic club helps out at Salem on all holidays with treats and crafts. Pictured are Faye Denison (left), chair of the crafts group, and Suzanne Lipscomb, administrative assistant at Salem. The craft group, which is co-chaired by Pat Flalinger, also provides holiday craft items for Garrett County nursing homes.

the younger children's class, Michelle and Kristy Beitzel were Sunday School secretaries. Donna Schmidt was church clerk. E.J. Diggs and Brian Lenhart were ushers. Becky and Rachel Schmidt sang solos. Nathan and Daniel Rose sang a duet. Donna Schmidt read a poem, and the youth choir sang a special song. On Sunday afternoon seven adults and 13 youth from the church went bowling in Morgantown.

The Accident Head Start Parent Group met Friday evening. Discussions were the year-end trip and graduation, which will be held May 16 at the Accident Town Park, West.

The Garrett County Horseman's Association meeting will be Saturday evening at 7 p.m. at the Goodwill Mennonite Home, Grantsville.

Mrs. Ann Ellis, Swallow Falls and Mrs. Kathy Margroff attended the Maryland State Teachers' Association Membership Conference last weekend in Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ringer attended the Bittern Fireman's Dinner that

was held at the Avilton Center on Saturday evening.

Friday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Schmidt were Mr. and Mrs. Travis Rinker and daughter, Chelcee, Aurora, W.Va. Chelcee was an all night guest of her grandparents and returned to her home on Saturday.

Thursday evening visitors of Mrs. Joyce Paugh and family were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Peck and Elaine Bateman, Oakland. Miss Melissa Paugh was a Sunday dinner guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Daie Reese, Bruceon, W.Va. Mrs. Joyce Paugh and daughter, Melissa, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Gary Long Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Betty Richter and Mrs. Judy Travis were in LaVale on Sunday for lunch and shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bender and family and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Bender and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Brenneman. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Bender and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. George McDonald on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. McDonald have moved back to this area and are now living in the Wayne Fratz home in Accident. Michelle Bender and Jodi Brenneman attended the lamb workshop on Saturday at the Allegany Fairgrounds in Cumberland.

Mr. Ernest Simmers Sr., Baltimore, spent a few days this week with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Simmers. Mr. and Mrs. Simmers were in Uniontown shopping on Saturday and then had dinner at Sabrzi's, Jumonsville, Pa. Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Simmers on Sunday were Ralph and Linda Cavinee, Farmington, and grandsons, Alex, Cory, and Andrew Cavinee, Uniontown.

Friday evening visitors of Mrs. Rosalie Piper were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Harman and daughter Santana, and Raymond Piper Jr. They had cake and ice cream celebrating Raymond's birthday which was that day.

Friday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kreiger were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Freeland and Kenneth Jr., Wiley Ford, W.Va. A Saturday afternoon visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Kreiger was Mr. Jack Teets, Friendsville.

Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Alfreda Friend were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robinson and Jeremy, Friendsville, and Mr. and Mrs. Scott Bittinger and daughter Stephanie, Horse Shoe Run, W.Va. Sunday supper guests of Mrs. Friend were Mr. and Mrs. George Fint, Aurora, W.Va., and Elmer Hanft. Mr. and Mrs. Fint visited with Mr. and Mrs. Brian Anderson, Scott Depot, W.Va., over the weekend. Mrs. George Fint was a Monday visitor of Mrs. Friend.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hanft met with Mrs. Juanita Higson for lunch in LaVale on Thursday. Then, Mr. and Mrs. Hanft were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Higson and family. They also celebrated the birthday of their granddaughter Lynette. Mr. and Mrs. Hanft and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Kolb had dinner together on Sunday. Mr. Kolb's birthday is April 20. Mr. and Mrs. Hanft and Mr. and Mrs. Kolb were among those attending the funeral of Mrs. Esther

Turney at Newman's Funeral Home, Grantsville, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bender returned to their home from spending the winter in Florida. Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bender were Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bender, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Maust and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Bender and daughter Valerie, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Bittinger, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brenneman and daughters, Accident, Mr. and Mrs. Tim Tice, Doug Beitzel and friend Tammy Madura, Mr. and Mrs. David Brenneman and son, Mr. and Mrs. Craig Cumberworth, Grantsville,

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Maust, and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bietzel and daughter Sandy, Salisbury, Pa.

Friday overnight guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Long and daughter Beth was Lindsay Swearman. Mr. and daughter Beth was Lindsay Swearman. Mr. and Mrs. Long, Beth, Lindsay and Linda Thomas and son Keaton had supper Friday evening at Pizza Hut Frostburg to celebrate Beth's birthday.

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The Maryland 4-H Program announces the addition of a 4-H Clover program for the 1997 year. The program is designed especially for children who are 5-7 years of age (by Jan. 1).

Garrett County is in the initial stages of introducing the program and is currently recruiting and training volunteers. A Clover volunteer training session is set for Monday, April 21, at the Garrett County Extension Office, 202 S. Third Street, Oakland, beginning

at 7 p.m. Communities, groups, or individuals that may be interested in starting a 4-H Clover program are invited

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Michael Lee McCord, 45, and Erica Lynn Weiland, 37, both of Morgantown, W.Va.

Brian Keith Parent, 37, and Joann Michelle Holmes, 36, both of New Market.

Richard Dale Hammack, 33, Granville, W.Va., and Diana Lynn Steele, 31, Morgantown, W.Va.

William Carter Harris, 39, and Rebecca Rose Harris, 39, both of Kingwood, W.Va, former husband and wife.

Tracy Blair Christopher, 23, and Kellie Rae Campbell, 28, both of Albright, W.Va.

J. Donald Ridenbaugh, 63, Annapolis, and Marie Sophia Palmquist, 43, Waldorf.

Kris Donovan Aldridge, 24, and Melanie Lynn Smith, 25, both of Wayne, W.Va.

Stottlemeyer-Bell Couple Wed



Carrie Ann Stottlemeyer and Andrew Mark Bell exchanged vows in a double-ring ceremony on March 1, 1997, at the New Life Christian Church, Oakland. Rev. Harold Harman performed the ceremony.

The wedding party consisted of Jennifer Dees, maid of honor; Dennis Stottlemeyer II, best man; Sarah Bell, flower girl; Anthony Braun, ring bearer; and Sissy Hershman and Breanna Bauer, matrons of honor.

The bride wore a floor-length white satin and pearl lace gown with a long train and accented with pearl accessories. She carried a bouquet of navy, maroon, and white flowers. The groom wore a black tuxedo. A reception followed the

ceremony at the church. The three-tier cake was white, accented with blue and maroon flowers.

The bride and groom now reside in Morgantown, W.Va.

Elder Law Days To Feature Talk On Senior Issues

The Elder Law Section of the Maryland State Bar Association will sponsor the first annual "Elder Law Days" during the May.

In keeping with this year's theme, "Become An Informed Senior," Garrett County Community Action's Area Agency on Aging will host an informational program.

Speaking at the program will be volunteer attorney Donald Goldbloom who will address current issues affecting seniors and their families.

Goldbloom will hold sessions on May 2 at Mary Browning Senior Center, Oakland, at 11 a.m. and on May 8 at the Grantsville Senior Center at 11 a.m.

Anyone wishing further information, may contact the Area Agency on Aging at 334-9431.

Rush-Bryner Wedding Slated



Mr. and Mrs. Mack Rush, Hoyes, and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Bryner, Mill Run, Pa., announce the

forthcoming wedding of their children, Melissa Dawn Rush and Jamie Shawn Bryner, on Sunday, June 15, at 4 p.m., at the Oak Grove Church of the Brethren, McHenry.

Miss Rush is a graduate of Northern High School and is currently employed at Beachy Lumber Co., Oakland.

Mr. Bryner is a graduate of Connellsville Area High School and is currently employed at Arsenberger Trucking.

Friends and relatives are welcome to attend.



GCC Offering Sewing Class

A course, titled "Basic Sewing," will be offered by the Continuing Education Division of Garrett Community College, beginning May 1 at the Oakland Center of the college.

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Students must have their own machines. Betty DeWitt will be the instructor. Tuition for this course will be \$16 plus a \$4 registration fee and materials. Interested persons may register at the Oakland Center or the Continuing Education Division at GCC. For more information, call Patricia Baer at 34-8304 or 387-3069.

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by Bob Stephens
Garrett County Office for Children, Youth and Families, Inc.

All parents want their child to grow up to be healthy and happy and "set the world on fire." Unfortunately, the odds tell us that there are some children who will not fit into this category. Our natural reaction is to deny that there is a problem because it is so painful to admit that our child may need extra help. This is particularly the case with parents who have a child who has difficulty learning, talking, or developing physical skills. Many of these children can, however, lead normal lives and even excel if they are given the right opportunity. There are many examples of people who have been able to overcome early deficiencies and accomplish far more than you or I (Olympic athletes Wilma Rudolph and Scott Hamilton, actor Tom Cruise, painter Toulouse-Lautrec, etc).

Research tells us that the first three years of a child's life are the most critical time for learning. When a condition that prevents a child from learning or developing skills at a normal rate is recognized and treated early, we take advantage of the child's natural ability to learn during that time. We also know the Garrett County Infants and Toddlers Program arranges testing to determine the extent of the problem and then develops a course of action to help overcome the obstacles. The participation of family members is crucial because we know that the family members of a child are his or her most important teachers.

It takes the dedication of families and professionals to ensure children will succeed in growing and reaching their fullest potential. The Garrett County Infants and Toddlers Program is dedicated to ensuring that services are available to the families of young children who need and choose to use those services.

The Infants and Toddlers Program uses professionals from a variety of fields to work with children and their families addressing the child's needs. Service may include audiology, physical therapy, nutrition services, speech-language pathology, special instruction, and assistive technology services. All families have a service coordinator who can help them access services and give the family the special attention they need.

One of the great tragedies of life is when an opportunity is lost. In many cases failure to act early leads to additional problems. No matter what the need may be, a child will not receive services if he or she is not identified. You or your child's health care provider may make a referral to have your child evaluated by calling the Garrett County Infants and Toddlers Program at 301-334-1189.

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Born Feb. 8, 1915, in Crellin, he was the son of the late Ishmael and Halley (Frazee) Teets. He was also preceded in death by his wife, Emmaline F. (Savage) Teets, in 1990.

He was a retired coal miner.

Survivors include two daughters, Norma J. Nair, Oakland, and Rhonda K. Evans, Rising Sun; two sons, James C. Teets, Port Deposit, and Warren Clyde Teets, Oakland; and four grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Stewart Funeral Home, Oakland, where a service was conducted Tuesday, April 15, with the Rev. Gail

Hixon officiating. Interment was in the Pleasant Valley Cemetery.

LEAH E. BOOKOUT
Leah E. Bookout, 83, Mission, Texas, died Thursday, April 10, 1997, at the home of her daughter, Armidee Braun, Lacon, Ill., following an extended illness.

Born Feb. 11, 1914, she was the daughter of the late Ovid and Nena (McNurlin) Gregory. She was also preceded in death by her husband, Armid L. Bookout, on Nov. 12, 1979, and one daughter, Gleah Houck.

She was a homemaker and a Christian by faith.

Survivors include one son, Gary D. Bookout, Philadelphia, W.Va.; one daughter, Armidee Braun, Lacon; 11 grandchildren, including Laura McCasky, Oakland; 33 great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

ESTHER M. TURNEY

Esther M. Turney, 95, Belleville, Pa., formerly of Addison, Pa., died Thursday, April 10, 1997, at Valley View Haven, Belleville, where she had been a resident for more than a year.

Born Aug. 26, 1901, at Keyser's Ridge, she was a daughter of the late Adam and Anna (Reichelt) Hanft.

She was also preceded in death by her husband, H. Earl Turney, on Aug. 14, 1968; and one son, M. Kenneth Turney, on Feb. 11, 1995.

She was a farm wife and a lifelong member of St. John's Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod, Cove.

Survivors include two sons, James C. Turney, Bruceton Mills, W.Va., and Harold P. Turney, Boothwyn, Pa.; two daughters, Ruth T. Baker, Belleville, and Shirley Baddorf, Colmar, Pa.; one sister, Margaret Weimer, Fairchance, Pa.; 10 grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

Friends were received at the Newman Funeral Home, Grantsville, where a service was conducted Sunday, April 13, with the Rev. Douglas Kabbell officiating. Interment was in the Addison (Pa.) Cemetery.

CECELIA E. MORGAN

Cecelia Elizabeth Morgan, 86, Williamsport, died Friday, April 11, 1997, at Homewood Retirement Center, Williamsport.

Born July 3, 1910, in Oakland, she was a daughter of the late Arthur Lawton Sr. and Bessie (Littman) Lawton.

She was employed as a secretary for the Washington County Board of Education until her retirement in 1976. She was previously employed by Potomac Edison. She was a member of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Williamsport, and the Retired Teachers Association. She volunteered her time with the American Red Cross and the Washington County Hospital.

Survivors include one sister, Virginia Lawton, Washington, D.C.; and one brother, John Lawton, Annapolis.

There was no public viewing. A memorial service was conducted Tuesday, April 15, at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, with the Rev. Mark A. Sandell officiating. Interment will be in the Rest Haven Cemetery, Hagerstown, at the convenience of the family.

The family suggests that memorials take the form of contributions to St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, 10813 Donelson Drive, Williamsport, MD 21795.

Funeral arrangements were handled by the Osborne Funeral Home, Williamsport.

GEORGANNA LEYHE

Georganna Leyhe, 92, formerly of Cumberland, died Friday, April 11, 1997, at the Cuppett-Weeks Nursing Home, Oakland.

Born Jan. 3, 1905, in Cumberland, she was the daughter of the late Walter Guy Krause and Lulu May (Fazzenbaker) Krause.

She was a retired secretary at Allegany High School and was a member of Emmanuel Episcopal Church.

She was the last surviving member of her immediate family.

Friends were received at the Kight Funeral Home, Cumberland, where a service was conducted Tuesday, April 15, with the Rev. Edward C. Chapman officiating. Interment followed in Sunset Memorial Park.

MARY O. LEFEVRE

Mary Ophelia LeFevre, 82, Aberdeen, died Sunday, April 13, 1997, at Harford Memorial Hospital, Havre de Grace.

She was born in Friendsville, a daughter of the late Dorsey and Laura (Fox) Guard.

She was a homemaker, a member of Grace United Methodist Church, St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church, and the Lioness Club of Aberdeen.

Survivors include her husband of 54 years, George F. LeFevre; two brothers, John J. Guard and Leslie G. Guard, both of Friendsville; and one sister, Jane G. Fox, Friendsville.

Friends were received at the Tarring-Cargo Funeral Home, P.A., Aberdeen. A service was conducted at St. Joan of Arc Catholic Church, Aberdeen, on Wednesday, April 16, with Father Kevin Schenning officiating. Interment was in Harford Memorial Gardens, Aberdeen.

The family suggests memorials take the form of contributions to the St. Joan of Arc Debt Reduction Fund, 230 S. Law St., Aberdeen, MD 21001; or Eva K. Logue Circle of Grace United Methodist Church, 110 W. Bel Air Ave., Aberdeen, MD 21001.

DELLA K. HARMON

Della (Krause) Harmon, 89, Baltimore, formerly of Oakland, died Friday, April 11, 1997, in Baltimore.

In 1948 she moved from Maryland to California and as a hobby started china painting classes in a recreation program. She then went on to study with Effie Deeter of California, a well-known instructor of china painting and water color. She also studied with the Spanish artist Miguel Jimenez.

For two years she taught china painting in a recreation program and subsequently 13 years in a Monrovia, Calif., adult program. She also taught many private students at her home in Arcadia, Calif. Widely recognized as a china painting authority, Mrs. Harmon's demonstrations and seminars took her to Oregon, Washington, D.C., Pennsylvania, Ohio, and various locations throughout California. She was an active member of the Mid Valley Arts League, China Painters of San Gabriel Valley, the Porcelain Art Organization, the California China Painting Teachers Association, and other art groups. She helped organize the China Painters of San Gabriel, part of the World Organization of China Painters, and served as president three times. She returned to the Baltimore area four and one-half years ago to be near her family because of declining health.

Survivors include one son, James Krause, Willingboro, N.J., and Deep Creek Lake; one daughter, Shirley Gardner, Baltimore; 11 grandchildren; and 16 great-grandchildren.

A memorial service will be held at St. Michael's Lutheran Church, Perry Hall, on Saturday, April 19, at 3:30 p.m.

The family suggests that memorials be directed to St. Michael's Lutheran Church, 9534 Belair Road, Perry Hall, MD 21226.

PHYLLIS S. BUXTON

Phyllis (Swift) Buxton, 85, Chevy Chase and Deep Creek Lake, died Thursday, April 3, 1997.

Born Dec. 14, 1911, in Boston, Mass., she was the daughter of the late Walter Babcock Swift and Edith Hale Swift. She was also preceded in death by her husband of 42 years, Rex Ernest Buxton.

She was a graduate of The Lincoln School in New York City (Laboratory school for Columbia University) and earned her bachelor's and master's degrees in education from the University of Michigan. Since 1953, Mrs. Buxton and her family maintained a summer residence at Deep Creek Lake's Thousand Acres.

She was a special education teacher in Montgomery County from 1955-61 and was instrumental in developing the first classes in Maryland for the mentally challenged. She also assisted the board of education in curriculum development and practical preparation for career opportunities for students in the Washington, D.C., area.

While at the University of Michigan, she studied sculpture under Avard Fairbanks. She went on to study further at the Corcoran School of Art under Pietro Lazzari during the 1960s. In 1973, she and her daughter, Priscilla Buxton, had their first dual show at Julius Garfinkel's in Washington, D.C. They also had shows in Palm Beach and Naples, Fla., as well as Dallas, Chicago, and New York City.

Survivors include three sons, Wayne Hathaway Buxton, Richardson, Texas,

David Emerson Buxton, Palos Verdes Estates, Calif., and Robert Walker Buxton, Wheaton; one daughter, Priscilla Buxton Bright, Kent Island; five grandchildren; and one great-granddaughter.

A memorial service was conducted at the Second Presbyterian Church, Baltimore, on Sunday, April 13. An art show has been arranged during the month of May. Friends are invited to view Mrs. Buxton's sculpture at the Main Street Gallery, 109 Main Street, Annapolis. An opening reception for the exhibition, titled "Grace," will be held on May 4 from 1-4 p.m.

RALPH H. WEEKS

Ralph Hamilton Weeks, 75, Oakland, died Saturday, April 12, 1997, at Garrett County Memorial Hospital, Oakland.

Born Dec. 20, 1921, in Loch Lynn, he was a son of the late Raymond Lyle and Gladys (Crane) Weeks. He was also preceded in death by one son, Ralph H. Weeks Jr., in 1953.

He was employed by the Kray and Stanley Coal Company in Crellin for 23 years, and later by Penn Electric, from which he retired in 1985. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II and was awarded the Purple Heart.

He was a member of the Deep Creek Baptist Church, where he served as a deacon and a trustee.

Surviving are his wife, Clara (Liller) Weeks; one daughter, Janet K. Edwards, Swanton; one son, Randy S. Weeks, Oakland; one brother,

Joseph Weeks, Wilmington, N.C.; three sisters, Marjorie DeBerry, Port St. John, Cocco, Fla., JoAnn Dodge, Finksburg, and Rayma Weeks, Mountain Lake Park; six grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Durst Funeral Home, Oakland. A service was conducted at the Deep Creek Baptist Church on Tuesday, April 15, with the Rev. Donald Wilson officiating. Interment was in the Pleasant Valley Cemetery.

Thank You

The Family of

MARGARET E. MARTIN

would like to express our sincere appreciation to our friends for the kindness shown us following the death of our beloved aunt. Special thanks to the Reverend David Snodgrass for the beautiful service and Mark Durst, Durst Funeral Home, for his support and guidance.

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*DEER PARK - 3 BR, 14'x70' mobile home, 0.13 ac. lot. Oil H/A heat and woodburning st. CONTRACT

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OAKLAND - E. Green St. - 0.39 ac. building site, schools and shopping nearby. Reduced \$11,500.

OAKLAND/SANG RUN RD. - 1.16 acre, level corner lot, in Yough River Subdivision. \$15,000.

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MT. LAKE PARK - Large wooded building sites, fronting on "C" Street. Only \$11,500.

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SAND FLAT ROAD - Lot 9, Brunson Subdivision - 1.0 acre, private, great vacation get-away, just minutes to Deep Creek Lake, can be purchased with lot 8. \$10,500.

SAND FLAT ROAD - Lot 3, Brunson Subdivision - 1.0 acre, private, has bldg. that could be used as temp. cabin, elec. on lot, just minutes to lake amenities. \$22,000.

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Letters

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Parris Glendening prescribed a similar snake oil. Under pressure from Ellen Sauerbray and Maryland business, which operates in the third worst tax hell in America, he proposed a "modest" (read "tiny") cut in the income tax. It amounts to two percent this year. But, he didn't suggest any meaningful cuts in social spending. His plan? Raise other taxes to offset it! See, we can do the shuffle too! Fortunately, the state legislature refused to go along with the new taxes -- for now.

In the '80s, President Reagan cut taxes. The result was a great peacetime economic expansion and tax revenues actually increased. But the social engineers in Congress increased the dole (no pun intended!), the *quid pro quo* for Reagan's military expansion, to the point where the deficit exploded. Now, with straight (an unaccustomed word in Congress) faces, they blame Reagan! For heaven's sake, no more trickle down economics.

News flash! Communism is dead. Everywhere it was tried, it resulted in unimaginable economic and social privations for millions of people. Yet America moves ever closer to that system where the tax rate is, in effect, 100 percent and government controls everything. Consider the tax bite for working people.

There is the federal income tax, with a rate of up to 39.6 percent. Then there is the state income tax. In Maryland it takes up to another 7.5 to 8 percent (depending on your county's piggyback tax). Next

come county property taxes. For some there are city and town taxes and assessments. Then there is the sales tax. In Maryland, it equals five percent of everything we purchase. There are also social security taxes, Medicare taxes, inventory taxes, transfer taxes, excise taxes, capital gains taxes, recordation taxes, license and user fees, state and confiscatory federal inheritance taxes (up to 55 percent), gasoline, tobacco and liquor taxes, highway tolls, airport taxes, luxury taxes, import tariffs, taxes and duties...when! Out of breath.

But the worst tax of all is what I call the black tax (no racist assumptions please). It's a black tax because it's like a black cloud over society. It's dishonest, covert and evil; shrouded and invisible to many people. It's never discussed in the liberal press, but it costs working Americans billions every year of what they would otherwise have kept; perhaps it's more than all the others combined.

Every time a Great Society program mandates hiring someone who is unqualified, we pay it. Every time a good employee loses hope because he or she is passed over for a deserved promotion or salary increase on the basis of race or gender, we pay it. Every time preferential treatment is given in student admissions, scholarships, awards or grades, we pay it. Every time federal or state government regulations require minority business hiring for capital projects not based on merit and competitive bidding, we pay it. The Wedtech scandal is a perfect example. Unscrupulous men used a minority front to bilk millions from the federal government for preferential



MARITZA, QUEEN OF THE AIR, is one of many performers who will provide excitement to circus goers this Sunday, April 20, when the Shrine Circus comes to Frostburg State University. The performance is being hosted by the Ali Ghan Shrine Club, Cumberland, which includes many members from Garrett County. Other "up in the air" acts, besides that of Maritza, will be the Jolly Jesters with their trampoline act and the Revolvers on their "spinning wheel of destiny." The circus also includes many animal acts. There will be two performances (2 and 6 p.m.) Sunday in the FSU gymnasium. Tickets, which cost \$7 for adults and \$5 for children, may be purchased locally at Get-N-Go, Marvin's Men's Wear, and Naylor's Hardware in Oakland, and Deep Creek Pharmacy, McHenry. Shrine clubs operate numerous hospitals that provide free care to young people throughout the nation.

contracts never performed. We pay every dollar collected by the vast public and private apparatus which feeds itself in the fertile field of minority privilege.

We pay the costs of crime and the defacing and vandalizing of thousands of public and private buildings and facilities, largely symptomatic of the matrix of dependency created by a failed welfare system which encourages illegitimacy, the breakdown of the family and of traditional values and morality. President Clinton's answer to welfare reform: the federal government will hire thousands of otherwise unqualified people from the welfare rolls. Business, he says, should do the same. We pay it.

When an employer frightened of litigation under civil rights laws reluctantly hires your basic alcoholic, drug-dependent, punk-rock, obscenity-tattooed, denosed, body-pierced (censored), AIDS-ridden homosexual with bad breath, precisely because he or she is alcoholic, drug dependent (in some circles read handicapped), tattooed, denosed, body-pierced, AIDS-ridden and/or homosexual (not to mention the breath and wardrobe), guess who funds the project?

And we pay for it every time the Justice Department sues private business to force such hiring practices. Don't get me wrong (you know who), I'm for hiring and promoting the best and most qualified person for any job regardless of race or gender. But that's not what affirmative action is all about. It's really about income transfer. And that is a tax on work and success. It increases the cost of everything from airline tickets to household utensils. It's hidden in the tab for all goods and services. You wonder why, after the advent of the Great Society in 1964, American companies

began to become non-competitive and we found ourselves unable to buy cameras, TVs, suspenders or underwear made by Americans? Why, after World War II when Japan was flattened and we had the highest per capita productivity in the world, the tables were turned within 25 years? Taxation in general (with its hand maiden big government) and the black tax in particular.

The black tax is about the loss of incentive and self image and identity; the destruction of the work ethic, prosperity and basic values. It's paying to send someone else's, perhaps less entitled, child to college when you can't afford to send your own. It's about the rise of hate, depression, despair and hopelessness. In short, it is the end of the American dream. But cheer up! Any day now, the flood of money coming from Mexicans buying our goods, services, fruits and vegetables -- ah, the beneficence of NAFTA -- will solve all our problems!

Sincerely,
Robert E. Watson

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT NOTICE TO CREDITORS NOTICE TO UNKNOWN HEIRS

Estate No. 8206
TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF Eleanor J. Spore:

Notice is given that James L. Spore, 10004 York Drive, Jlamsville, MD 21754, was on April 8, 1997, appointed personal representative of the estate of Eleanor J. Spore, who died on April 3, 1997, with a will.

Further information can be obtained by reviewing the estate file in the office of the Register of Wills or by contacting the personal representative or the attorney.

All persons having any objection to the appointment (or to the probate of the decedent's will) shall file their objections with the Register of Wills on or before the 8th day of October 1997.

Any person having a claim against the decedent must present the claim to the undersigned personal representative or file it with the Register of Wills with a copy to the undersigned on or before the earlier of the following dates:

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(2) Two months after the personal representative mails or otherwise delivers to the creditor a copy of this published notice or other written notice, notifying the creditor that the claim will be barred unless the creditor presents the claim within two months from the mailing or other delivery of the notice. A claim not presented or filed on or before that date, or any extension provided by law, is unenforceable thereafter. Claim forms may be obtained from the Register of Wills.

Name of newspaper designated by personal representative: *The Republican*.
Date of Publication: April

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10, 1997.
James L. Spore
Personal Representative
True Test Copy
Joseph DiSimone
Register of Wills
Garrett County, Maryland
Courthouse Room 103
313 E. Alder Street
Oakland, MD 21550

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT NOTICE TO CREDITORS NOTICE TO UNKNOWN HEIRS

Estate No. 8211
TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF William S. Miller:

Notice is given that Viola E. Miller, 196 Bowery Street, Frostburg, MD 21532, was on April 11, 1997, appointed personal representative of the estate of William S. Miller, who died on April 4, 1997, without a will.

Further information can be obtained by reviewing the estate file in the office of the Register of Wills or by contacting the personal representative or the attorney.

All persons having any objection to the appointment (or to the probate of the decedent's will) shall file their objections with the Register of Wills on or before the 11th day of October 1997.

Any person having a claim against the decedent must present the claim to the undersigned personal representative or file it with the Register of Wills with a copy to the undersigned on or before the earlier of the following dates:

(1) Six months from the date of the decedent's death, except if the decedent died before October 1, 1992, nine months from the date of the decedent's death; or

(2) Two months after the personal representative mails or otherwise delivers to the creditor a copy of this published notice or other written notice, notifying the creditor that the claim will be barred unless the creditor presents the claim within two months from the mailing or other delivery of the notice. A claim not presented or filed on or before that date, or any extension provided by law, is unenforceable thereafter. Claim forms may be obtained from the Register of Wills.

Name of newspaper designated by personal representative: *The Republican*.
Date of Publication: April 17, 1997.

Viola E. Miller
Personal Representative
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Joseph DiSimone
Register of Wills
Garrett County, Maryland
Courthouse Room 103
313 E. Alder Street
Oakland, MD 21550

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT NOTICE TO CREDITORS NOTICE TO UNKNOWN HEIRS

Estate No. 8198
TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF Leila S. Marra a/k/a Leila R. Speicher:

Notice is given that William C. Speicher, 6007 Messenger Stakes, Austin, TX 78740 and Thomas A. Speicher, 922 S. Franklin St., Denver, CO 80209 were on March 25, 1997, appointed personal representatives of the estate of Leila S. Marra, who died on March 6, 1997, with a will. Elizabeth C. Morin was appointed Resident Agent.

Further information can be obtained by reviewing the estate file in the office of the Register of Wills or by contacting the personal representative or the attorney.

All persons having any objection to the appointment (or to the probate of the decedent's will) shall file their objections with the Register of Wills on or before the 25th day of September 1997.

Any person having a claim against the decedent must present the claim to the undersigned personal representative or file it with the Register of Wills with a copy to the undersigned on or before the earlier of the following dates:

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Name of newspaper designated by personal representative: *The Republican*.
Date of Publication: April

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of the following dates:
(1) Six months from the date of the decedent's death, except if the decedent died before October 1, 1992, nine months from the date of the decedent's death; or

(2) Two months after the personal representative mails or otherwise delivers to the creditor a copy of this published notice or other written notice, notifying the creditor that the claim will be barred unless the creditor presents the claim within two months from the mailing or other delivery of the notice. A claim not presented or filed on or before that date, or any extension provided by law, is unenforceable thereafter. Claim forms may be obtained from the Register of Wills.

Name of newspaper designated by personal representative: *The Republican*.
Date of Publication: April 3, 1997.

William C. Speicher
Thomas A. Speicher
Personal Representative
True Test Copy
Joseph DiSimone
Register of Wills
Garrett County, Maryland
Old Courthouse Room 103
313 E. Alder Street
Oakland, MD 21550

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Garrett County Board of Education requests bids to furnish and install, roof and exterior insulation finish system materials for Northern Middle School. Bid specifications may be obtained from the maintenance/operations department by writing to the Garrett County Board of Education, 40 South Fourth Street, P.O. Box 59, Oakland, Maryland 21550, or by calling (301) 334-5029.

Bid proposals must be submitted by May 1, 1997, at 10:00 AM at the Board of Education. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Bids may not be withdrawn for a period of forty-five (45) days after the scheduled closing time for receipt of BIDS.

By Authority of
Jerome Ryscavage
Superintendent of Schools

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT NOTICE TO CREDITORS NOTICE TO UNKNOWN HEIRS

Estate No. 8204
TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF Laura E. Leighton:

Notice is given that Q. Nordeck Shaffer, 389 Dennett Rd., Oakland, MD 21550, was on April 1, 1997, appointed personal representative of the estate of Laura E. Leighton, who died on March 25, 1997, with a will.

Further information can be obtained by reviewing the estate file in the office of the Register of Wills or by contacting the personal representative or the attorney.

All persons having any objection to the appointment (or to the probate of the decedent's will) shall file their objections with the Register of Wills on or before the 1st day of October 1997.

Any person having a claim against the decedent must present the claim to the undersigned personal representative or file it with the Register of Wills with a copy to the undersigned on or before the earlier of the following dates:

(1) Six months from the date of the decedent's death, except if the decedent died before October 1, 1992, nine months from the date of the decedent's death; or

(2) Two months after the personal representative mails or otherwise delivers to the creditor a copy of this published notice or other written notice, notifying the creditor that the claim will be barred unless the creditor presents the claim within two months from the mailing or other delivery of the notice. A claim not presented or filed on or before that date, or any extension provided by law, is unenforceable thereafter. Claim forms may be obtained from the Register of Wills.

PROCLAMATION MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT WEEK April 21-25, 1997

WHEREAS, the Town of Grantsville was incorporated in 1864, and

WHEREAS, Maryland is home to 156 other municipalities, and

WHEREAS, municipal government represents the most responsive form of government, with citizens being able to directly access their elected officials, and

WHEREAS, municipal government has continually fostered a strong foundation for government service and cooperation at the county, state, and federal levels of government...as our municipalities and their elected officials have remained dedicated to pursuing excellence in areas including the beautification of their respective communities, environmental protection, education, senior citizen programs and in many other ways, and,

WHEREAS, municipalities have also enhanced the quality of life for their respective residents by maintaining natural and historic sites and structures, helping to make Maryland a great place to live, work and explore.

BE IT, THEREFORE, RESOLVED that I, Mayor Frederick Holiday, do hereby proclaim April 21-25, 1997, as MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT WEEK in Maryland, joining the Maryland Municipal League in celebrating the success to town government all over the State.

THEREFORE, The Mayor and Council of Grantsville invite the residents of Grantsville to visit the Town office during office hours.

Frederick A. Holiday
April 15, 1997

PUBLIC NOTICES

Name of newspaper designated by personal representative: *The Republican*.
Date of Publication: April 3, 1997.

Q. Nordeck Shaffer
Personal Representative
True Test Copy
Joseph DiSimone
Register of Wills
Garrett County, Maryland
Old Courthouse Room 103
313 E. Alder Street
Oakland, MD 21550

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Mt. Lake Park Board of Zoning Appeals will conduct a public hearing on April 29, 1997, at 5:00 p.m. in the Mt. Lake Park Town Hall. The Board will review an application made by Mr. Fred K. Leary on behalf of the Apostolic Church of Oakland for a Special Exception Permit to allow the establishment of a private church school, child day care services and church services on the former Mt. Lake Holiness Camp property currently owned by Mr. Leary. The property is located on the south side of MD 135 between E and G streets in a TR - Town Residential zone. Interested parties are welcome to attend.

John E. Nelson
Planning & Zoning Director

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Garrett County Board of Education requests bids on roofing materials for work to be performed by the maintenance staff. Bid specifications may be obtained from the Maintenance Department by writing the Garrett County Board of Education, 40 South Fourth Street, P.O. Box 59, Oakland, Maryland 21550 or by calling (301) 334-5906. Bids must be submitted by Thursday, May 1, 1997, at 2:00 p.m. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

After the scheduled closing time for receipt of Bids, no Bid may be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days.

By Authority of the
Garrett County Board of Education
Jerome J. Ryscavage
Superintendent of Schools

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to Section 28-2 (c) of the Oakland Town Charter, the Mayor and Town Council of Oakland are seeking interested parties to submit proposals for the purpose of Town Attorney. The effective date would be May 1, 1997, and would be in effect for a period of one year.

Interested parties may contact Oakland City Hall, 15 South Third Street, Oakland, Maryland 21550, Monday through Friday from 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM. These proposals must be submitted to Oakland City Hall by April 29, 1997, at 3:30 PM. The Mayor and Town Council reserve the right to reject any and all proposals. Equal Opportunity Employer (EOE).

by Authority:
Mayor and Town Council of Oakland, Maryland

ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY

The property which will be sold consists of two adjoining lots in the Sky Valley Subdivision on Deep Creek Lake, Garrett County, Maryland. One of the lots is improved with a residence, the other is unimproved but is an approved building lot.

Under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a Mortgage dated March 27, 1987, and recorded among the Land Records of Garrett County, Maryland, in Liber 493 page 195, default having occurred under the terms of said Mortgage and it having been duly assigned to the undersigned Assignee for purposes of foreclosure, notice is hereby given that on

Friday, May 9, 1997
at the hour of 11:00 A.M.

in the Rotunda of the Garrett County Court House in the Town of Oakland, Maryland, offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder, that real property situated in Garrett County, Maryland, which is described as follows:

Description of Property. The property consists of two lots in Sky Valley Subdivision, Deep Creek Lake, being Lot No. 15, Block F, Sky Valley and Lot No. 16, Block F, Sky Valley, both located along the North side of Deer Run Lane and being depicted on the Plat of Sky Valley recorded in Plat Drawer I, file 6, one of the Plat Records of Garrett County, Maryland. Said lots are described in deeds recorded among the Land Records of Garrett County in Liber 492 page 352 and Liber 492 page 339.

Lot F-16 is improved with a chalet style cottage with 11-11 siding and asphalt shingle roof, the overall dimensions of which are 28' x 34', with a large wolmanized front deck which is about 36' x 15' and two auxiliary side decks. The interior consists of a small kitchen, a living and dining room combination, small utility room with washer/dryer hookups, full bathroom, two bedrooms and a small guest room on the 1st floor. The half story portion of the residence contains a large loft area and a game room with knee wall storage on both sides.

Lot F-15 is unimproved and provides a measure of privacy for Lot No. F-16. This lot is also an approved building lot which can be sold separately from Lot No. F-16.

Terms of Sale. The properties will be sold separately, with Lot F-16 being sold first. If this lot sells for a sum sufficient to pay the entire outstanding mortgage indebtedness and all costs of sale, then Lot F-15 will not be sold. Otherwise, Lot F-15 will be sold upon the terms herein set forth. A deposit of FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$5,000.00) will be required from the purchaser of each lot at the time and place of sale, to be paid by cashier's or certified check or in such other form as the Assignee may in his sole discretion determine provided arrangements are made prior to the sale, except that the Mortgagee, if a successful bidder, shall not be required to make a deposit. The balance of the purchase price shall be paid by cashier's or certified check at settlement, which shall be on or before fifteen days after final ratification of the sale by the Circuit Court of Garrett County unless said period is extended by the Assignee for good cause shown, time being of the essence. The purchaser or purchasers will pay interest at the rate of nine percent (9%) per annum on unpaid purchase money from date of sale to date of settlement. Taxes and all other public charges and assessments, if any, shall be adjusted to date of sale and assumed thereafter by the purchaser, and costs of any Agricultural transfer taxes, documentary stamps, transfer taxes and recordation costs shall be paid by the Purchaser. The above-described property will be sold subject to all restrictions and covenants of record and without warranties of title. The improvements are being sold in an "as is" condition and without warranty as to the accuracy of information furnished to and/or by the Assignee and provided to prospective bidders.

Interested parties may contact the undersigned during regular business hours.

Thomas R. Janes, Assignee
Eliswert & Janes, P.A.
5000 Thayer Center
Oakland, MD 21550
Phone: (301) 334-9480

PUBLIC NOTICES

NOTICE TO BIDDERS
The Garrett County Board of Education requests bid proposals to furnish and install one (1) elevator at Route Forty Elementary School.

Specifications may be obtained from the maintenance department, Garrett County Board of Education, 40 South Fourth Street, Oakland, MD 21550.

Bids are to be submitted by Wednesday, May 7, 1997, at 2:00 P.M.

The Garrett County Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By Authority of
Jerome Ryscavage
Superintendent of Schools

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

The Town of Grantsville is seeking engineering proposals for planning and design of a stormwater management facility of approximately 5 acre-feet serving the drainage area at the southwest Town boundary. Proposals will be received until May 19, 1997. The Mayor and Council will review and evaluate all proposals and may or may not interview consultants before final selection. The Town reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to waive informalities in proposals received. Interested consulting engineers may acquire a more detailed description of the proposed work at the Town Office at 171 Hill St., Grantsville, MD.

By Authority:
Frederick A. Holiday
Mayor

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Town of Grantsville is seeking sealed proposals for street overlay, repairs and drainage work on existing town streets. Details can be obtained at the Town Office, 171 Hill St. Bids will be received until 7:30 PM EDT, May 5, 1997, and opened and read at the regular Council meeting on that date. The Town reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By Authority:
Frederick A. Holiday
Mayor

BIG BUCKS BINGO

to benefit Southern Rescue Squad

Sunday, April 20

Doors open at 12:30 p.m. - Early Bird at 1:55 - Games start at 2:30 p.m.

All Paper Games Two Jackpot Coveralls

All Paper Pack \$30

Extra Speed Specials Will Be Sold

For tickets call 334-1119 or 334-3820

Food, Soda & Coffee Will Be Available

Tickets Available at Door No admissions under 18

Elks Lodge #2481, Hamill St., Oakland, MD

WE NOW HAVE SMOKE EATERS!

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NOTICE TO UNKNOWN
HEIRS

Estate No. 8205
TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF Harold A. Bland:

Notice is given that Dana V. Bland, 89 Kelly Drive, Oakland, MD 21550, was on April 2, 1997, appointed personal representative of the estate of Harold A. Bland, who died on March 20, 1997, with a will.

Further information can be obtained by reviewing the estate file in the office of the Register of Wills or by contacting the personal representative or the attorney.

All persons having any objection to the appointment (or to the probate of the decedent's will) shall file their objections with the Register of Wills on or before the 2nd day of October 1997.

Any person having a claim against the decedent must present the claim to the undersigned personal representative or file it with the Register of Wills with a copy to the undersigned on or before the earlier of the following dates:

(1) Six months from the date of the decedent's death, except if the decedent died before October 1, 1992, nine months from the date of the decedent's death; or

(2) Two months after the personal representative mails or otherwise delivers to the creditor a copy of this published notice or other written notice, notifying the creditor that the claim will be barred unless the creditor presents the claim within two months from the mailing or other delivery of the notice. A claim not presented or filed on or before that date, or any extension provided by law, is unenforceable thereafter. Claim forms may be obtained from the Register of Wills.

Name of newspaper designated by personal representative: *The Republican*.
Date of Publication: April 10, 1997.

Dana V. Bland
Personal Representative
True Test Copy
Joseph DiSimone
Register of Wills
Garrett County, Maryland
Courthouse Room 103
313 E. Alder Street
Oakland, MD 21550

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SMALL ESTATE
NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
NOTICE TO UNKNOWN
HEIRS

Estate No. 8145
TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF Mary M. Warnick:

Notice is given that Alma A. Hartman, 15554 Lower George's Creek Rd., Lonaconing, MD 21539, was on January 2, 1997, appointed personal representative of the small estate of Mary M. Warnick, who died on November 4, 1996, without a will.

Further information can be obtained by reviewing the estate file in the office of the Register of Wills or by contacting the personal representative or the attorney.

All persons having any objection to the appointment (or to the probate of the decedent's will) shall file their objections with the Register of Wills within 30 days after the date of publication of this Notice.

All persons having claims against the decedent must serve their claims on the undersigned personal representative or file them with the Register of Wills with a copy to the undersigned on or before the earlier of the following dates:

(1) Six months from the date of the decedent's death, except if the decedent died before October 1, 1992, nine months from the date of the decedent's death; or

(2) Thirty days after the personal representative mails or otherwise delivers to the creditor a copy of this published notice or other written notice, notifying the creditor that the claims will be barred unless the creditor presents the claim within thirty days from the mailing or other delivery of the notice. Any claim not served or filed within that time, or any extension provided by law, is unenforceable thereafter.

Name of newspaper designated by personal representative: *The Republican*.
Date of Publication: April 17, 1997.

Alma A. Hartman
Personal Representative
True Test Copy
Joseph DiSimone
Register of Wills
Old Courthouse Room 103
313 E. Alder Street
Oakland, MD 21550

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HEIRS

Estate No. 8208
TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF Arthur T. Peck:

Notice is given that Robert A. Peck, 6236 Bittering Rd., Swanton, MD 21561, and Kenneth H. Peck, Garrett Hwy., Oakland, MD 21550, were on April 8, 1997, appointed personal representatives of the estate of Arthur T. Peck, who died on April 3, 1997, with a will.

Further information can be obtained by reviewing the estate file in the office of the Register of Wills or by contacting the personal representative or the attorney.

All persons having any objection to the appointment (or to the probate of the decedent's will) shall file their objections with the Register of Wills on or before the 8th day of October 1997.

Any person having a claim against the decedent must present the claim to the undersigned personal representative or file it with the Register of Wills with a copy to the undersigned on or before the earlier of the following dates:

(1) Six months from the date of the decedent's death, except if the decedent died before October 1, 1992, nine months from the date of the decedent's death; or

(2) Two months after the personal representative mails or otherwise delivers to the creditor a copy of this published notice or other written notice, notifying the creditor that the claim will be barred unless the creditor presents the claim within two months from the mailing or other delivery of the notice. A claim not presented or filed on or before that date, or any extension provided by law, is unenforceable thereafter.

Name of newspaper designated by personal representative: *The Republican*.
Date of Publication: April 17, 1997.

Robert A. Peck
Kenneth H. Peck
Personal Representatives
True Test Copy
Joseph DiSimone
Register of Wills
Garrett County, Maryland
Courthouse Room 103
313 E. Alder Street
Oakland, MD 21550

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Date of Publication: April 17, 1997.

Robert A. Peck
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PUBLIC NOTICES

Hummel's Furniture

2463 Lower New Germany Road
Frostburg, MD 21532
301-689-8160
NEW SOLID OAK FURNITURE
TOP QUALITY USED WOOD FURNITURE
in solid cherry, maple, oak & mahogany
Take Exit 24 off Interstate 68
traveling away from Route 40
Take first right onto Lower New Germany Road
Go 1 1/2 miles

PUBLIC AUCTION

Located at Ball Auction Building along Rt. 7 in Terra Alta, W.Va., at our new building. Watch for the auction sign!

Saturday, April 19, 1997, at 4 p.m.

New Furniture - Estate Furniture - Household Item
New Furniture - 2 and 3 pc. sectionals, 2 pc. living room suites, sofa beds, loveseat, double recliner sofa, leather sofas, leather loveseat, leather recliner, Big Man recliner, La-Z-Boy recliner, over 80 pcs. living room furniture, coffee table, end tables, lamps, table w/4 chairs, table w/6 chairs, dining room tables, dining room chairs, chest, big screen TV, stereo, VCR, other color TVs, refrigerator, gas range, electric range, and washer. New bedding - king, queen, double, single, all major brands.

Estate Furniture - cherry china cupboard, table w/4 chairs, 2 pc. living room suite, chest, dressers, beds, lamp, TV, refrigerator, washer, dryer, household items, glassware, and kitchenware. Table lots will be packed full.

Looking for living room furniture? Don't miss this auction!

Refreshments available.

Terms - cash or check, Discover, Visa, Mastercard

Ball Auction Sales, Inc.

Mark Ball - Auctioneer
320-97 Lic. No.
Phone (304) 789-6879

ESTATE AUCTION

OF
HOUSEHOLD, LAWN & GARDEN,
COLLECTIBLE ITEMS, AUTOMOBILE

Saturday, April 26, 1997 at 10:00 a.m.

Located at 4323 Broadford Rd. from Oakland, Md. Take Rt. 135 East to Deer Park, Turn on Broadford Rd. just beyond the VFW. 1/10 mile to auction site.

COLLECTIBLES: Coins including silver dollars, buffalo nickels, mercury dimes and pennies, gold, pressed and pattern glass, cut glass, carnival glass, china, Bristol glass, brass school bell, sad irons and trivets, Hull vase, oil lamp, crock, egg baskets, kraut stomper, chopping block, antique wrenches and pulleys, spindle back rocker, 5 pc. Waterfall bedroom suite, and more.

HOUSEHOLD: Oak china closet, 3 recliners, large sofa, coffee and end tables, 2 bedroom suites, etagere, table lamps, dining room table and chairs, Quasar TV, Hoover vacuum sweeper, Hamilton Beach roaster, Kenmore microwave oven, much more.

LAWN & GARDEN: Statesman 11 HP lawn tractor, Toro mower, Troy Bilt Econo Horse rototiller, Ariens rototiller, Homelite leaf blower, Craftsman hedge trimmer, gas grill, lime spreader, spin spreader, misc. hand and power tools, two wheel utility trailer.

1988 Delta 88 Automobile.
Auctioneer's Note: This is extremely well cared for merchandise. Mr. and Mrs. O'Brien spent summers in Garrett County, winters in Florida. Mrs. O'Brien collected glass for many years - much of which we will sell in this auction. Plan to spend the day. This is only a partial listing of the highlights.

TERMS: Cash day of sale.
Owner: Estate of Donald "Bill" O'Brien
Ruth O'Brien
Punta Gorda, Fla.

CUSTER'S AUCTION SERVICE
Robert G. Custer, WV288 Leonard C. Custer, WV755
(301) 334-3141 (301) 387-6712

PUBLIC AUCTION

The "Wright" Auction House

Located 3 miles west of Frostburg, Maryland, along Rt. 40 or 1/2 mile east of Exit 29 (Finzel) off I-68.

Friday, April 18, 1997 at 5:30 PM

Admiral 30" gas range, combination coal/wood and gas kitchen stove, GE Spacemaker microwave oven, kitchen set (dropleaf table), set 6 kitchen chairs, Zenith console TV, La-Z-Boy reclining sofa w/matching reclining loveseat (both like new), hide-a-bed, sofa table, coffee and end tables, lamps, pictures, writing desk, bookcases, card table set, sewing machines, braided rugs, Eureka Express vacuum sweeper, exercycle, maple chests of drawers, dresser, pr. single beds, new sets springs and mattresses, porch chairs, Frigidaire HD automatic washer and electric dryer and lot household items.

Equipment and Tools: Sears electronic 2 1/2 HP radial arm saw on factory stand, Craftsman hand router w/ table and cutters, 2 T floor jack, shop vacuum (4 HP, wet/dry), power tools, dado and molding heads, lot shop hardware, ceramic tile (new), tile cutter and more.

Saturday, April 19, 1997 at 5:30 PM

Antiques and Collectibles

Furniture and Antiques: Mahogany 6 pc. dining room suite, secretary (serpentine front, ball and claw feet), slant front desk, breakfast front with pull out desk, Duncan Phyfe dropleaf extension table, pie crust stand, gooseneck rocker, gossip bench, coffee table and straight chair, oak round pedestal table (solid top), washstands w/towel racks, dressers, bookcase, chests of drawers, White treadle sewing machine, dining room server, sewing rocker and set dining room chairs, wall cupboard (blind doors), Victorian marble top lamp stand, early 5 dr. chest (serpentine front), poster bed, 1920's china cupboard and buffet, walnut office desk, floor model Victrola, rockers, pr. green side chairs, walnut Victorian stand, gateleg dropleaf table, Martha Washington sewing cabinet, 3 pc. wicker set, single door washstand, walnut high back pump organ by Cornish Co. (original condition), 1920's bedroom suites, cedar chest, trunks, school desks, maple high chair, oval stand (6 legs), child's desk, doll chair, bed and cedar chest, hand made quilts, Rayo and Art Deco lamps, toys, oil lamps, feather Christmas tree, brass fan type fireplace screen, child's wicker potty chair, advertising boxes including D.F. Stauffer's "Fancy Cakes and Biscuits," York, Pa., granite coffee pot, tools and chest, crocks, jugs, cylinder butter churn, copper and iron teakettles, iron kettles, shaving horse, hanging light fixture, pictures and frames, small porcelain signs, collection model ships, 78 RPM records, collection post cards, costume jewelry and lot small collectibles including collection of Cracker Jack toys.

Glassware: Set 6 John Wayne plates, Roseville, Fostoria, depression, set 3 fish plates, Limoge dresser set, Lenox vase, stemware, Goebel pig whatnots, cookie jars and more.

Food available.

TERMS: Cash day of sale.

The "Wright" Auction Service

Frostburg, Maryland 21532

Phone: (301) 689-8144

for complete auction and moving services.

NOTE: Next antique and Collectible auction will be Saturday, May 10 at 5:30 PM, featuring the Estate of Thelma Frances Crist.

PUBLIC NOTICES

The "Wright" Auction House

Located 3 miles west of Frostburg, Maryland, along Rt. 40 or 1/2 mile east of exit 29 (Finzel) off I-68.

Auctions every Friday
at 5:30 p.m.

Check Cumberland Sunday Times for complete listings.

Phone: 689-8144

for complete auction and moving services.

ANTIQUE AUCTION

April 19, 1997 at 10 a.m.

Grantsville Fire Hall, Grantsville, Maryland

Antique collection from Frostburg, Maryland consisting of a 1916 Pennsylvania metal driver's license, 1927 West Virginia chauffeur's license, 1930 West Virginia cloth hunting license, square oak table, oak rocker, oak commode with arm rest, hickory rocker, 3 fainting couches, mahogany china cupboard, enamel wood and gas cook stove (mint), hooked rugs, oil lamps, oak wall phone, graniteware, 2-section Red Wing water cooler, jugs, crocks and bowls, dome top trunk, saws, large lot of early iron tools, carbide lights, charcoal iron, country bench, wood wash tub, sugar keeler, sausage stuffer, horse collars and harness, wood planes, large lot of mining items that includes a miner's oil light with spout and hat, drill press, old jars and bottles, figural clock, radios. Pink cherry blossom pitcher, jack-in-the-pulpit vase, biscuit jar with cherries, hen on nest, Cambridge vase and bowls. Large lot of kitchen collectibles, butter churn, small cream separator, marbles, many box lots, lot of HO trains which includes a limited edition set of state trains. Other items too numerous to mention.

Bowman's Auction Service

Dave Bowman, Auctioneer

AU0001963

Phone 301 689-3655 (call after 6 p.m.)

Lunch will be served by the Grantsville Firemen's Auxiliary

PUBLIC AUCTION

Saturday, April 19, at 10:00 A.M. at the Beltzel Farm, 6 miles west of Salisbury, 5 miles west of Pocomoke.

Farm Machinery

Allis Chalmers 185 tractor with cab - good rubber, IH 460 utility tractor, 479 New Holland haybine, 273 New Holland hay baler with thrower, John Deere 4-16" trip bottom plow, Van Brunt 15 single disc grain drill, 12" John Deere cultipacker, New Holland flail green chopper, New Idea trail mower - 7' cut, Cunningham hay conditioner, McCormick Deering hammermill, IH 3-14" fast hitch plow, H&S manure spreader - 220 bu., 214" bale wagon - wood racks, 32" May Rath elevator, 24" hay elevator, John Deere 12" fertilizer spreader, New Holland side rake, Kuhn 10' tedder, John Deere side rake, green chop wagon, small farm trailer, feed cart, frost freeze water fountain, 20' Badger silo unloader, round bale carrier, John Deere 2-row corn planter, Gandy applicator, Jamesway shuttle barn cleaner, McKee 8' snow blower, 12' John Deere harrow, 25 kw generator, fast-hitch post hole digger, 6' silo pipe, fanning mill, elec. motors, surge pulsator - control and stall coils, semen tank, pumping station, 400 gal. Cherry Burrall bulk tank and compressor, SS wash vats, 3 complete Surge milkers, 80 gal. elec. water heater, Sunbeam cow clippers, GE clothes dryer, lot of other items too numerous to mention.

Lunch available. Terms: Cash. Not responsible for accidents.

Owners: Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Beltzel

R.D. 1

Salisbury, PA 15558

Raymond Bender, Auctioneer

Accident, MD 21520

Ph. 301-746-8249

or 301-895-3206

Lic. AU-0000-57L

SECURED PARTY AUCTION

Building Supplies, Trucks, Equipment, Fixtures
Friday, April 18, at 9:30 AM Sharp!
Rain or Shine!

Located at 127 North Sigler St., Kingwood, W.Va. Directions: Watch for "Joe R. Pyle" auction signs off Rt. 7 in Kingwood, W.Va.

Tools, inventory, and equipment belonging to creative carpentry: 10" Craftsman table saw, Jet 6" jointer/planer, 2 Air Mate 1 1/2 HP air compressors, 2 Senco SN 1 & 40 finishing nail guns, 2 Delta 6" sidekick miter saws, biscuit jointer, 2 Makita 14" miter saws, DeWalt 1/2" hammer drill, Makita hammer drill, MK 770 tile saw w/lgs, Porter cable screw gun, 8" aluminum brake, rebar cutter/bender, Wagner CS 5000 paint sprayer w/gun and plaster hopper, 2 Craftsman 5 HP shop vacs, 6" and 10" fiberglass stepladders, Louisville ext. ladder, 2 Berger Speed-A-Liner transit levels w/tripods model 200B, 2 6' rolling baker scaffolds, 6 bucks of scaffolds w/braces.

Inventory of PD Building Supply: Large inventory of Martin Senour paints/stains, aluminum roof coating, bolt bin & bolts, electrical fittings/wire supplies, 14-2 flex cable, aluminum entry cable, 10-3 flex cable, electrical load centers, plumbing supplies, telephone wiring accessories, inventory of nails, plastic fittings, abrasive paper, large assortment of hand tools, door hardware, oak finish vanity/basin, water heater parts, exhaust fans, Armstrong ceiling tile, aluminum gutter/downspouts hardware, vinyl siding/accessories, soffits/facia, insulation board, wood/plastic wall trim, Owens Corning fiberglass insulation, prehung doors, roof shingles, concrete blocks/brick, schedule 40 pipe, conduit, wood porch swings, picnic tables, lawn chairs, precast steps.

Lumber: Approx. 50 sheets Luan, sheets of paneling, treated spindles, 3/4" plywood, pine lumber, pegboard.

Equipment: Datsun M179 propane hard rubber tire fork lift 3000 lb.

Trucks: 1987 Chevrolet 4WD auto pick-up, 1978 Ford 1 ton dump truck low miles, 1987 Dodge 250 Ram VA.

Office Fixtures and Equipment: Manufacturers Direct Audioology and Hearing Aid Centers - Hearing sound booth, Qualitone acoustic appraisers, Fonix FP30 hearing aid analyzer.

Terms: Cash. Checks accepted with a bank letter of credit stating that it is for "Joe R. Pyle Auction at PD Building Supply in Kingwood on April 18, 1997." No exceptions. Secured party reserves the right to bid.

Real Estate Sells at Noon on Location in Terra Alta.

Lot #11 of Eagle Ridge Development, Map Book 1

Page 75, Deed Book 561 Page 849 at Richfield Lane, Terra Alta, WV

Directions: Turn off Rt. 7 at Rite Aid Drug Store in the east end of Terra Alta onto Adair Ave., to Clement Street, to Kermit, and on to Richfield Lane.

We will be offering a 24' x 42' ranch style 2 bedroom home with full basement and 1 1/2 baths. The home is situated on a nice level lot. Call today for an appointment to view this property.

Terms: 10% down sale day by cash or certified funds, balance due upon delivery of a special warranty deed. Real estate sold subject to any and all outstanding taxes. Trustee reserves the right to bid.

Joe R. Pyle

Complete Auction & Realty Service

WV 212

(412) 324-9000 or (304) 592-5050

Alan K. Hildreth WV 1079

Ross W. Kaisey WV 1037

AUCTION

Large Spring Lawn & Garden Special
Saturday, April 19, 1997 at 10:00 a.m.
Quarrick Equipment, Uniontown Pa.
412-439-1621

Rt. 119 Gallatin Ave. Exit - Turn west on Bute Rd., 2 miles to sign.

Garden tractors, lawn tractors, riding mowers, push & self-propelled mowers, Weed Whackers, trimmers, chain saws, tillers, seeders, vacs, sprayers, snow blowers, tractors w/belly mowers, farm tractors (under 40 HP) and equipment, parts, misc. lots and more!

EARLY CONSIGNMENTS: JD, Cub Cadet, Wheel Horse, Bolens & MF garden tractors, Dynamark, Murray, MTD, Sears/Craftsman, MW lawn tractors and push mowers, Farmall cub w/mower, Kubota G3200 diesel, Yanmar YM146D w/mower and blade, T030 Ferguson w/6' flail, 8N Ford w/loader, JD M w/plow/blade, 2 botm. plow, 3pt. disc, 3pt. 1R cult., Ford 309 2R corn planter, 6' 3pt Mott mower, 3 pt. finish mowers, lime spreader, new 3 pt. equip., 3 pt. scoop, New Garden Way 3 pt. chipper/shredder, Cub Cadet snow blower and blade attach., Troy-Bilt and other tillers, misc. lots and more. Only a very partial listing. Inventory subject to change. Consignments welcome. Lunch available.

Terms: Cash, good check, MC or Visa - ID required. Open for daily business.
Quarrick Equip.
PA-RH194L

PUBLIC AUCTION

Sunday, April 20, 1997. Preview
starting at Noon. Auction begins at
1 p.m.

This year's first antique sale at Rosedale Auctions, Hutton Road, Route 39 one mile west of Oakland, Maryland.

All items for this sale have been provided from two estates and three small consignments. If you like oak, mahogany, maple, walnut, cherry and pine furniture you should find something here to please you.

The following is just a partial listing of items to be sold at this sale.

Mahogany Queen Anne night stand, Cushman maple china, walnut 2/2 dresser w/mirror, art deco 3 drawer dresser w/mirror, Cushman open face maple cupboard, 3-tier spindle stand, one-drawer maple stand, pine floor lamp, Wilson/Mayer oak china, spindle stool, three 3-pc. oak files, oak case sewing machine, Sheridan style dresser w/mirror, mahogany dresser, mahogany buffet, hickory rocker, oak desk chair, brass & porcelain head board, king size mahogany headboard, maple lamp table, wrought iron glass top table and chairs, wrought iron sofa and two chairs, round oak table, old beds, old corner what-not shelf, old trunks, several old assorted small tables, old pump organ, early console TV/radio/record player, several old assorted chairs, Chippendale bureau w/mirror, also other items still coming in.

In addition to the furniture items we will have glassware, silver plate, jewelry, collectibles, and much more.

Special items of interest for this sale will be two Colt single action revolvers (very old), one Springfield rifle, and lots of misc. gun items including holsters, gun stocks, and more.

Auctioneers Note: Also on Saturday, April 19, 1997, starting at 6:00 p.m. we will be selling a large volume of coins from two estates and two consignors. This sale also will include paper money, silver dollars, foreign money, silver sets, year sets, precious stones, much more.

Refreshments will be served at both sales.

Auctioneer: Lester M. Dement Jr.

Office Manager: Russell Litter

Rosedale Auctions

Rt. 39, 1 mile west of Oakland, next to Piper Building Supply
Friday, April at 6:00 p.m.

This week's sale will consist of small grocery store closeout, sodas, can goods, baby foods, juices, cereals, and much more. Also remainder of Sears overstock including toys, household, tools, etc., and some furniture.

Talk to us about your next sale!

Farm Sales, Antiques, Estates, Inventory Reductions

Lester Dement

(301) 334-1114

W.Va. #954

PUBLIC AUCTION

Saturday, April 19, 1997

10:00 a.m.

Located at 23364 Garrett Highway, 1 mile south of McHenry, Md. on U.S. Rt. 219

Collectibles: Oak halltree, Victorian dresser w/carved pulls, Fr. Prov. Corner chair, wicker rocker, wicker bench, commode w/wooden tank, oak kindergarten table, iron kettle, oak swivel desk chair, Nascar memorabilia. Children and Recreational Items: Gaucha 12 volt Jeep w/battery & charger, New 12'x24' swimming pool w/sand filter (never assembled), Little Tykes toys inc. play house, kitchen & washer & dryer, 2 Garelli Moped, children's video tapes & cassettes, Johnson trolling motor, stuffed animals, many other toys & games, DP exercise bike, DP dual trac 20. Household: Microwave oven, twin beds (new), full size bed, new arm chair, 4 pc. Alum. Deck furniture, oak counter top, sleeper sofa, vanity, GE washer & dryer, sewing machine, Kennedy rocker, Christmas decorations. Work related items: Bolens QT 17 garden tractor, 2 two wheeled utility trailers, 8'x16'

PUBLIC NOTICES

SMALL ESTATE
NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
NOTICE TO UNKNOWN
HEIRS

Estate No. 8210
TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF Virginia N. Bargmann:

Notice is given that Margaret J. Trickett, 711 Greenbag Road, Morgantown, WV 26505, was on April 11, 1997, appointed personal representative of the small estate of Virginia N. Bargmann, who died on December 26, 1996, without a will.

Further information can be obtained by reviewing the estate file in the office of the Register of Wills or by contacting the personal representative or the attorney.

All persons having any objection to the appointment (or to the probate of the decedent's will) shall file their objections with the Register of Wills within 30 days after the date of publication of this notice.

All persons having claims against the decedent must serve their claims on the undersigned personal representative or file them with the Register of Wills with a copy to the undersigned on or before the earlier of the following dates:

(1) Six months from the date of the decedent's death, except if the decedent died

PUBLIC NOTICES

before October 1, 1992, nine months from the date of the decedent's death; or

(2) Thirty days after the personal representative mails or otherwise delivers to the creditor a copy of this published notice or other written notice, notifying the creditor that the claims will be barred unless the creditor presents the claim within thirty days from the mailing or other delivery of the notice. Any claim not served or filed within that time, or any extension provided by law, is unenforceable thereafter.

Name of newspaper designated by personal representative: *The Republican*.

Date of Publication: April 17, 1997.

Margaret J. Trickett
Personal Representative
True Test Copy
Joseph DiSimone
Register of Wills
Old Courthouse Room 103
313 E. Alder Street
Oakland, MD 21550

DEBT NOTICE

I will not be responsible for any debts other than those contracted by myself as of April 10, 1997.

Jerry L. Paugh
5172 Gorman Road
Oakland, Md. 21550

PUBLIC NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE
REQUEST FOR BIDS

The Mayor and Town Council of Oakland are seeking proposals for the mowing and trimming of the new Glades Town Park for the 1997 summer mowing season. Interested parties may contact Mayor McCain at Oakland City Hall, 15 South Third Street, Oakland, Maryland 21550, Monday through Friday from 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM, for further details or to inspect the area to be mowed.

These proposals must be submitted to Oakland City Hall by April 29, 1997, at 3:00 PM. The Mayor and Town Council reserve the right to reject any and all proposals. Equal Opportunity Employer (EOE).

by Authority:
Mayor and Town Council of Oakland, Maryland

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Separate sealed BIDS for the construction of Contract 96-1, including approximately 747 lineal feet of 6-inch diameter ductile iron Class 52 water line, 271 lineal feet of copper water service line and appurtenances will be received by Gwen M. Evans, Collector-Clerk at the office of the Town of Oakland until 1:00 p.m., May 1, 1997, and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud. The CONTRACT DOCUMENTS may be examined at the following locations: Town of Oakland, Town Hall, 15 S. 3rd Street, Oakland, MD 21550 or Highland Engineering & Surveying, Inc., 309 S. 2nd Street, Oakland, MD 21550.

Copies of the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS may be obtained at the office of Highland Engineering & Surveying, Inc., located at 309 S. 2nd St., Oakland, MD 21550 upon payment of \$40.00 for each set.

Asa M. McCain Jr., Mayor
Town of Oakland

REQUEST FOR BIDS

The Paradise Ridge Association, Inc., is accepting bids to: (1) Reshape road base, apply 6" gravel base, and lay a 3" thick layer of asphalt 16' wide by 1005' long on Meadow Court, Holly Court, and Ridge View Court. The work includes constructing 2' wide tar and chipped gravel shoulders on each side of the newly paved roads.

(2) Reshape and apply 2" thick layer of gravel 12' wide by 600' long on Ridge View Court.

The work is to be paid for in two increments: Approximately two-thirds on completion in 1997 and the balance with interest in March 1998. The project is located in the Ridge Subdivision 1.25 miles from Sand Flat Road on Paradise Point Road in Garrett County. Additional information and bid packages may be obtained from Mr. S.W. Dearden by telephoning (301) 387-4362. Mr. Dearden will be available by appointment to meet on site to discuss project details. Bids will be received by Mr. Dearden at 93 Penn Point Road, Oakland, MD 21550, until 3:00 p.m., May 1, 1997.

PUBLIC NOTICE

RESIDENTS OF MOUNTAIN LAKE PARK

The Registration books of the Town of Mountain Lake Park will close May 13, 1997 and will remain closed until July 22, 1997. Any resident of Mountain Lake Park age 18 or over who is a citizen of the United States and has resided within the corporate limits of the Town for 30 days preceding the Town election, may register to vote in the Town election at the Mountain Lake Park Town Hall during regular office hours of 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. The last day to register will be Monday, May 12, 1997.

The Town of Mountain Lake Park maintains a separate register of voters; however, if you have registered at the Board of Election Supervisors after January 1, 1990, and are a resident of Mountain Lake Park you are automatically qualified to vote in the Municipal Election.

By Order of
Mayor and Town Council
Mountain Lake Park, MD

STATE OF MARYLAND
OFFICE SPACE WANTED
REQUESTS FOR PROPOSALS
R.F.P. LA-16-97

The State of Maryland, requires approximately 1,869 net usable square feet of office space in Oakland, Garrett County, Maryland specifically within the area bounded by:

a. NORTH: Pennington Street, Green Street
b. EAST: Second Street
c. SOUTH: Oak Street
d. WEST: Fourth Street, Eighth Street
Amount of Space: 1,869 net usable square feet of office space.

Agency: Department of Public Safety & Correctional Services, Division of Parole & Probation, Drink Monitoring Program.
Original: Five (5) Years
One (1) Option Term of Five (5) Years

Information on specific requirements and proposal specifications must be obtained prior to submission of proposals from the Department of General Services, Office of Real Estate, Room 601, 300 West Preston Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21201, or by calling Charles Fawley at (410) 767-4324.

Proposals must be received by 3:30 p.m. on May 23, 1997.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

The Appalachian Parent Association, Inc., 360 West Liberty Street, Oakland, MD 21550, will competitively bid the construction contract for a proposed:

Client activity space and administrative offices @ Appalachian Crossroads's new headquarters.

Sealed Proposals in duplicate will be received until 3:00 p.m. Friday, May 23, 1997. Three sets of Bid documents may be obtained beginning Wednesday, April 16, 1997, at the Appalachian Parent Association, Inc., offices for a deposit of \$150.00. Questions and requests for more information should be addressed to Mr. William Aspinall, Executive Director, Appalachian Parent Association, Inc., (301) 334-8449, or Mr. Douglas Devlin, Devlin Design, Architects P.C., (412) 381-5347.

For those who decline to bid, the deposit will be refunded if the bid documents are returned to the Owner with the "No Bid Form" completed no later than the date of the sealed proposals. Additional sets may be obtained at the Contractor's expense for a fee of \$60.00 per set.

The contract for this project includes prevailing wage rates as determined by the State of Maryland. The Appalachian Parent Association, Inc., is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

GARRETT COUNTY
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Garrett County Commissioners will conduct a Public Hearing to obtain the views of citizens on COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT NEEDS, and to offer citizens the opportunity to review an application which Garrett County proposes to submit to the State on or before the April 30, 1997, deadline for same. The hearing will be held at the Commissioners' Meeting Room in the Garrett County Courthouse at 10:00 A.M. on April 22, 1997.

The Small Cities Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program is a federally sponsored program designed to assist units of general local government with activities directed toward neighborhood and housing revitalization, economic development, and improved community facilities and services.

Maryland's Program is administered by the Department of Housing and Community Development (DHCD), in close cooperation with the Department of Business and Economic Development (DBED).

The Maryland Program reflects the State's economic and community development priorities and provides public funds for activities which meet one of the following national objectives, in accordance with the Housing Community Development Act of 1974, as amended:

(1) give maximum feasible priority to activities which will benefit low and moderate income persons and households having an income equal to or less than the Section 8 lower income limits established by HUD;

(2) aid in the prevention or elimination of slums or blight;

(3) meet other community development needs of an urgent nature or that are an immediate threat to community health and welfare.

Commissioners of
Garrett County

PUBLIC NOTICES

INVITATION FOR BIDS
TRACTOR, LOADER AND ROTARY CUTTER
AT
MARYLAND CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION (MCI)
HAGERSTOWN, MARYLAND
PROJECT ID# 2330

BID DUE DATE: 4-28-97
BID DUE TIME: 12:00 NOON
TO ALL PROSPECTIVE BIDDERS:

The Maryland Environmental Service is requesting sealed bids from qualified contractors to provide for the sale and delivery of a farm tractor, front end loader, and rotary cutter, to the Maryland Correctional Institution (MCI) in Hagerstown, Maryland. (See attached specifications.)

Contract documents may be obtained at the office of Maryland Environmental Service, 2011 Commerce Park Drive, Annapolis, Maryland 21401. Questions/inquiries must be submitted in writing to Tara Harris, Fax: 410-974-7267.

Sealed bids addressed to the Maryland Environmental Service at the address below, Attn: Tara Harris, Bid ID# 2330 will be forwarded to arrive no later than 12:00 noon local time on April 28, 1997.

The right is reserved, as the interest of Maryland Environmental Service may appear, to reject any and all bids, to waive any informalities in bids received, and to accept or reject any items of any bid.

Minority Business Enterprises are encouraged to respond.
James W. Peck
Director

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Board of Garrett County Commissioners will conduct a public hearing on April 28, 1997, at 7:00 p.m. in Room 314 of the Continuing Education Building at Garrett Community College. The Commissioners will receive public comments on a proposed new draft Deep Creek Watershed Zoning Ordinance which is being recommended for adoption by the Garrett County Planning Commission. The recommended new zoning ordinance includes changes to the text as well as the zoning map, and changes are being proposed in order to make the Ordinance consistent with the recently adopted Garrett County Development Plan and the Maryland Economic Growth, Resource Protection and Planning Act of 1992.

The following represents a summary of the most significant policy changes to the Ordinance:

Commercial Resort Districts - Two new zoning districts are proposed: Commercial Resort 1 (CR1) and Commercial Resort (CR2). These districts are primarily intended to encourage concentrations of commercial recreation uses.

Attached Housing - Twin and townhouse dwellings have always been allowed in most of the Deep Creek Watershed. However, the maximum lot requirements are almost impossible to meet for individual twins and townhouses on individual lots. Therefore, the draft ordinance would allow density to be based upon "average" lot sizes for twin and townhouse units. The maximum overall density would not change from the current regulations (i.e., one home per acre in LR).

Cluster Housing - The existing Zoning Ordinance includes provisions for PRDs that allow flexibility in the placement of homes. However, those PRD provisions are burdensome for simple single family home development. Therefore, a less burdensome process is proposed to allow "Single Family Cluster Development" as an option. The Cluster Option would be limited to single family detached houses and would result in the same overall density as a PRD development.

Group Homes - Revisions are needed to the Zoning Ordinance to comply with the Federal Americans with Disabilities Act of 1991, the Federal Fair Housing Act and Supreme Court decisions. These generally require that "Group Homes" be provided for in the same manner as housing for families.

Copies of the Draft Deep Creek Zoning Ordinance are available in the Planning Office, and any questions should be directed to the same at 334-1920.

By Order of the Board of County Commissioners

Read. Then Recycle.

CHILD CARE

BUILDING
BLOCKS
DAYCARE

Ages 2-13

Rt. 219, Deep Creek Lake
James L. Burnett, License #11-647-66
(301) 387-2492

DEAN'S DAYCARE HOME

Has openings for children
ages 2 and older on day shift.
Infants and older on night shift.

304 D Street
Mountain Lake Park, MD
334-9590

Reg #1024051

EMPLOYMENT

HELP WANTED - OTR truck driver; 25% of haul. Home 95% of weekends. Insurance & benefits after probation period. Must be over 21, clean driving record, dump truck experience preferred. Call Tom at 301-334-6477. 7-5t.

HELP WANTED - Position available. Diesel mechanic for medium-size trucking company & garage. Qualifications must include experience w/ Cummins & Caterpillar motors, air conditioning certification, CDL &/or inspection license are also desirable. Must have own tools. Starting \$10/hour, working 40 to 50 hrs. per week, fully paid health insurance, paid holidays & other benefits included. Apply in person. R&M Brokerage & Trucking, P.O. Drawer 316, Meyersdale, PA 15552; 814-634-8196. 6-2t.

HELP WANTED - Carpenter's helper. Duties include painting, varnishing, general carpentry & labor. Must have transportation & be reliable. 334-3899. 7-2t.

HELP WANTED - Girl Scouts of south western Pennsylvania need responsible, organized, energetic individual to work with girls in Garrett County 20 hours per week delivering Girl Scout program. Interested individuals contact Gwen Marshall, 304-598-0421. 7-2t.

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EMPLOYMENT

HELP WANTED - Personal assistant. Very busy real estate agent looking for highly motivated, self-disciplined full-time personal assistant. Must possess computer, typing, filing & telephone skills. Real estate license preferred. Salary & benefits package based upon experience. Call Rob at 301-387-9500. 7-1t.

HELP WANTED - Garrett County Community Action Committee, Inc. is now accepting applications for the position of Rehabilitation Loan Assistant. The successful candidate will be required to perform underwriting and related loan processing functions for the First Time Homeownership, State and Local loan programs. Applicants should be a high school graduate, and have excellent written and verbal communication skills. Two years experience in real estate, loan processing, and general knowledge of home construction preferred. Experience in working with the public required. Applications or resumes must be submitted to the Director of General Services at 104 E. Center St., Oakland, MD 21550 no later than April 24, 1997. Garrett County Community Action is an equal opportunity employer. 6-2t.

HELP WANTED - Successful Salespeople! Do you have a proven track record in sales? If so, we'd like to speak with you. We are a brand-new professional telephone sales organization located in Oakland, Maryland. Professional office environment, free training, outstanding commissions. We will also consider hiring experienced go-getters with the right attitude! 301-334-0800 Internet Development Group. EOE. 6-5t.

HELP WANTED - Established Garrett County insurance agency is seeking a licensed property and casualty agent with a background in commercial lines and/or personal lines insurance. Reply to Box F-6, c/o The Republican, P.O. Box 326, Oakland, MD 21550. 6-2t.

HELP WANTED - Position Announcement. Job Title: Building Code Administrator. Definition: The position will serve the general public and the Department of Planning and Zoning in implementing a standard building code system for Garrett County. This position is a County Classified service position and will require a forty (40) hour week.

Make Big Bucks This Summer
Honi-Honi Bar is hiring for summer!
Come join a fun, family-oriented team!

Wanted:
BARTENDERS • Bouncers • BAR BACKS

Apply in person,
Monday thru Sunday, at:
**Pizzeria Uno
Chicago Bar & Grill,
Deep Creek Lake, MD**

HELP WANTED

Part-time housekeepers. Deep Creek Lake area motel. Weekends and holidays a must. Must have own transportation, non-smokers preferred.

Write to: Box E-44,
c/o The Republican Newspaper
P.O. Box 326, Oakland, MD 21550

BEGIN A DEEP
RELATIONSHIP

A lot of restaurants take pride in what they offer customers. At Uno's, we're just as proud of what we offer employees.

Uno's of Deep Creek Lake is looking for people to join our team in a friendly, fast paced atmosphere. We're a full service, casual dining restaurant. We offer training, growth potential, flexible shifts and excellent pay. Apply in person Monday through Saturday between 2 p.m. and 5 p.m.

We have full and part-time positions for



Servers,
and for Line Cooks with experience.
Summer bonus plan.

Flexible hours. Health and dental insurance (full time only).
Competitive starting salaries. Christmas bonus plan.
Aggressive advancement. Paid vacations.

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EMPLOYMENT

HELP WANTED -- Retail Store Manager. Morgantown-based cellular telephone company is in need of a store manager at its new location in Deep Creek, MD. Candidates must have high school diploma, at least two years of advanced schooling or experience in retail business. People skills a must and marketing and sales background a plus. Interested parties should forward detailed cover letter outlining previous experience and resume to Secure US, Attn: Sheila Hunt, Executive Assistant to the President, P.O. Box 424, Morgantown, WV 26507. No phone calls please. Secure US is an equal opportunity, affirmative action employer. 5-3t.

HELP WANTED -- Homeparty consultants in your area for fast growing lingerie company. Free kit, average \$25 per hour, also booking parties, great hostess program. Call Debbie at 304-478-3622. 4-4t.

HELP WANTED -- Avon. Would you like something to fill your extra hrs? Try selling Avon. Mother's Day is coming. Lots of opportunities to make some extra cash. If interested call Alice at 301-746-8335. 3-5t.

HELP WANTED -- Homeworkers wanted. Make \$180 weekly clipping coupons at home! Checks are mailed weekly! Application; send long self-addressed stamped envelope. National Coupon Network, 668 Main St., Ste. 235, Ext. C923, Wilmington, MA 01887. 7-11t.

MODELS WANTED -- From MD, VA, DC between 6-19 to compete in this year's 1997 Baltimore pageants. Over \$20,000 in prizes & scholarships. Including trip to nationals in Las Vegas. Call today 1-800-367-2125, ext. 350. 7-4t.

Busy Cleaning Company Now Hiring
Experience preferred but not required. Must have reliable transportation.
For more info. call
301-334-3100
9 a.m. to 5 p.m. 7-4t

INTERIOR DECORATOR
Wanted to local furniture store; part-time, experienced person with good personality. Send resume and any particulars to: Box C-6, c/o The Republican, P.O. Box 326, Oakland, MD 21550. 6-2t

WANTED
Helper for sheet metal work. Must have own transportation.
Welding Heating & Air Conditioning
Mt. Storm, WV
304-693-7376

Live-In Assistant Needed
Wanted: Lady to live-in and assist elderly woman in her home. Duties include assistance with daily needs, meal preparation, and light housekeeping. Send resume with personal references and schedule requirements to:
Box B-41, c/o The Republican
P.O. Box 326,
Oakland, MD 21550

DIRECTOR OF NURSING
Heartland of Preston County in Kingwood, W. Va. is a 120-bed premier provider of long-term care. Our reputation is built on providing the finest health care available, coupled with a Helpful, Caring, and Responsive attitude. We are currently seeking a Director of Nursing to join our dynamic team. If you are a West Virginia licensed RN and have management experience, we would like to talk to you!
As part of Health Care & Retirement Corporation (HCR), the fifth largest provider of subacute care, rehabilitation, and skilled nursing in the U.S., we offer an excellent salary and benefits package, including comprehensive insurance, 401K, and more! For immediate consideration, fax your resume or call:
JoAnne Janowiak, RN
Corporate Recruiter
tele: 1-800-487-9596
fax: 1-800-653-9264 6-11t
HEARTLAND OF PRESTON COUNTY
Equal Opportunity Employer

EMPLOYMENT

HELP WANTED -- Homeworkers wanted. Make \$480 w/ky. from your location. Using co. grocery premiums. We mail checks weekly. Application; send self-addressed stamped envelope: National Coupon Network, 668 Main St., Ste. 235, Ext. 923, Wilmington, MA 01887. 7-11t.

HELP WANTED -- Family business in need of a self-motivated individual willing to work a 40 hr. week. Send resume to Box 0-7, c/o The Republican, P.O. Box 326, Oakland, MD 21550. 7-2t.

HELP WANTED -- Hiring baking position. Contact manager from 9 to 5 at BFS Foods, Mtn. Lake Park. 7-2t.

HELP WANTED -- Management Trainee. Expanding hardware chain looking for leaders. Must excel in a variety of people oriented roles. Must be good communicator comfortable in a team environment. Required to learn all phases of retail operation. Preference will be given to applicants familiar with hardware lines and construction trades, those willing to relocate and those having a college degree. Compensation package includes life and health insurance, Employee Stock Ownership Plan, paid holidays and purchase discounts. Initial primary assignment will be in Oakland, MD. Please send resume to: Management Trainee, P.O. Box 380, Oakland, MD 21550 or fax to (301) 334-8609. Deadline is April 25, 1997. 7-11t.

HELP WANTED -- Grasp computer concepts quickly? Problem solving skills? Customer service experience? Knowledge of securities and/or insurance? A computer technical position may be for you! Come see Financial Computer Support, Inc., at the GCC Job Fair, 12-3:00 on May 3rd. 7-3t.

HELP WANTED -- Drivers. Tuition-free training. North American Van Lines has owner-operator opportunities in their Relocation Services and Blanket Wrap fleets for experienced and inexperienced tractor trailer drivers. Excellent compensation, tractor purchase and bonus programs. 1-800-348-2147, Dept. A-15. 7-11t.

HELP WANTED -- Drivers OTR. No experience necessary. Up to 30¢ per mile, weekly pay, insurance furnished, 401K, assigned tractor. CDL "A" w/HAZMAT required. Call Landair Transport, Inc., 1-800-788-7357. 7-11t.

If you are looking for full-time, part-time, or seasonal work, plan now to attend:
The Sixth Annual Garrett County Job Fair
Saturday, May 3rd
12:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Garrett Community College
Bring a resume and come dressed for an interview. 7-2t
For more information call
301-387-3089 or 301-387-3080

POSITION OPENINGS
The Garrett County Community Action Committee's Area Agency on Aging is seeking two part-time contractual positions for the following:
Janitorial Position - Cleaning, building maintenance, grounds maintenance person. Will be responsible for the overall cleaning of the Grantsville Senior Center and minor maintenance repairs. Additionally, the position will mow lawn and keep walkways clear of debris. Position will require approximately 10 hours per week.
Assistant Cook - Temporary position for a person to assist with all meal preparation, service, and clean-up of the dining area and kitchen. Position will require approximately 24 hours per week.
Both positions will be compensated at \$4.75 per hour. CAC is an Equal Opportunity Employer. 7-2t

New Supermarket In McHenry
Seeking: Cashiers • Stock Clerks (day/evening shifts) • Deli/Cafe Workers • and Janitorial Personnel, experience with automatic floor scrubber preferred.
Accepting applications at:
1915 Deep Creek Drive, McHenry
1-6 p.m., April 18 • 8 a.m.-noon, April 19 7-3t

WANTED
Full-time convenience store/service station attendant.
Apply in person:
Keyser's Ridge Trading Post 6-2t

HELP WANTED
Full-time convenience store shift manager. Evenings/weekends. Benefit package available.
Apply in person:
Keyser's Ridge Trading Post 6-2t

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EMPLOYMENT

HELP WANTED -- Experienced mechanics & auto body personnel for new facility. High percentage shares. Write Box 1-7, c/o The Republican, P.O. Box 326, Oakland, MD 21550. 7-2t.

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MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE -- Four Seasons Atrium. Approx. 12'H x 15'W x 11'L, some damaged panes. Make offer. 387-2527. 6-4t.

FOR SALE -- Patchwork quilts, all sizes including crib size. Also offer quilt tops only, woven rag rugs, wall hangings and table mats. No Sunday calls. Call 334-4660. 6-5t.

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FOR SALE -- 4 BF Goodrich tires 31x10.50 on chrome wheels w/caps & nuts, bought new - ran one summer, exc. cond., \$550. Chrome Nerf bars, new, \$150. 8 ft. bed mat, \$50. Call springs, \$40. Call 387-6420. 5-6t.

FOR SALE -- Blackprom dress. Short in front, long in back, no back w/strap around neck. Very good cond., used only twice. Size 5. Paid \$80, asking \$50. 301-334-4921. 5-3t.

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CARPORT SALE

Sat., April 19, 9:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Rain or snow. 25 G St., Mtn. Lake Park. Computer table, furniture, men's & women's clothing (large sizes), prom gowns, shelving & brackets, pictures, small rugs, curtains, lots of odds & ends. 7-1t.

INDOOR YARD SALE

Sat., April 19, 9 a.m.-2 p.m.; 211 Bonnie Blvd., Loch Lynn. Infant to adult sizes, jeans to prom gowns. 7-1t.

GARAGE SALE

April 25 & 26, 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. 135 to Paughville, turn on Deer Park Hotel Rd., follow signs. Small dining room table w/4 chairs, skis, humidifier, smoker, women's & children's clothing, household items & much more! 7-2t.

YARD SALE

inside, 219 south. Big white garage on right, driveway before Michelin tire sign at Metropolitan Tire. Look for sign out front. Thursdays thru Sundays, 10 to 5. 6-2t.

GARAGE SALE

Fri. & Sat., April 18 & 19, 9-4. 223 Center St., Oakland. Many miscellaneous items. 6-2t.

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78 Jeep CJ7, big red 3-wheeler, dresser, lots of dishes, quilting frame, beds, quilts and blankets, 3 pt. hitch boom for tractor, gas stove, refrigerator, 72 Dodge truck, lots more.
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FOR SALE -- 1993 Ford F-150, XLt ext. cab 4x4; short bed, V-8, 5SPD, cruise, power windows & locks, tarp, aluminum wheels. 52,000 miles. \$15,000 firm. 301-387-6424. 7-3t.

FOR SALE -- 1993 Ford Tempo GL; auto, PS, PW, PL, AC, power driver's seat, cruise control. White, 4DR. Call 814-662-4241. 7-4t.

FOR SALE -- 1978 Ford Bronco. Exc. running shape. Needs some body work. MD inspected. After 6 p.m. 746-7119. 7-2t.

FOR SALE -- 1978 4x4 Blazer for parts; no motor or transmission, good rear end, \$250. 334-6366. 7-3t.

FOR SALE -- 1966 Chevy Impala, 283 engine, exc. mechanical cond. Needs a little work. Phone 301-387-5705. Asking \$1000 as is. Can be seen at 45 Bumble Bee Rd. 7-2t.

FOR SALE -- 1985 Pontiac 6000, needs motor. Exc. cond.; AT, PW, PL, PS; sunroof, AM/FM cass., \$350. 334-6366. 7-3t.

FOR SALE -- 1995 Ford Ranger, ext. cab, 4x4; 12,000 miles. \$12,000. 334-6115. 7-1t.

FOR SALE -- 1978 Ford 1/2 ton 4x4 pickup. Good shape, runs. 334-0715. 7-1t.

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FOR SALE — 1987 Ford Bronco XLT; 4x4, good cond. \$5500, negotiable. 304-789-6530. 7-11.

FOR SALE — 1989 F-150 4x4; 92,000 miles, exc. cond., \$5000. 334-3905. 7-11.

FOR SALE — 1979 Ford 150 4x4; 351 M engine, \$1000. 301-334-5992. 7-11.

FOR SALE — 1985 Chevy 1/2 ton pickup; 4x4, Ramsey Rep 8000 winch, class 3 hitch, front & back; heavy duty pipe rack, 6 ply mud & snow tires, 50,000 miles; \$4500 or best offer. 387-9529. 7-21.

FOR SALE — 1992 Toyota 4x4 SPSP; 80,000 miles; AC, off road equipped, running board, trailing package, sun visor, bedliner, cap, mag wheels! \$10,200. Call 334-8274. 7-21.

FOR SALE — 1980 Jeep pickup; \$750. 245-4016. 7-21.

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FOR SALE — 1986 Tempo GL; \$800. 334-5753. 7-21.

FOR SALE — 1995 Chevy Silverado; extended cab, 4x4, white, exc. cond. \$17,500. 301-334-5956. 7-21.

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FOR SALE — 1993 Jeep Grand Cherokee Laredo, 4WD, 4.0L, 6CYL, AT, PS, PB (ABS), AM/FM stereo cass., exc. cond. \$15,295. Call 301-387-2340. 7-51.

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FOR SALE — By owner. 1 lot, 4 1/2 acres overlooking Accident, Md. Beautiful view. 301-746-8182. 4-51.

FOR SALE — Spacious 4 BR, 1 1/2 BA wood framed house on corner lot in Salisbury, PA. Remodeled inside, beautiful white exterior w/green shutters; \$59,000. Call 814-662-4360 after 5 p.m. or leave message. 6-21.

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FOR SALE BY OWNER — Lots from 2-10 acres adjacent Savage River State Forest. Beautiful views, near Accident. Owner financing. 746-6181. 7-51.

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FOR SALE — 3 BR house for sale in Oakland. Built-in kitchen, large liv. room, full basement; \$33,500. Call after noon 334-3428. 6-41.

FOR SALE — Glendale Road - Newly constructed 3 BR, 2 BA home w/single car garage. Possible owner financing; \$85,000. Call 387-8381 after 6 p.m. 6-51.

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FOR SALE — Country Shopping Village store rooms. Includes land & plenty of parking spaces. Only 2 retail spaces left. Owner financing. Why rent? Rt. 42, 2 1/2 miles from Deep Creek Lake. 746-4048. 4-51.

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SKI COVE'S BEST - B8897 - Unit #6 is so close to the waterfront being in the first building. Right by tennis courts, too. Indulge in the enjoyment of an indoor hot tub. New berber carpet. Includes all the furnishings. Best waterfront buy. **\$117,900**

RED RUN - B6011 - View from living/dining room, master BR, deck, 3BR, 2 full BA. New carpeting w/numerous other upgrades. Enjoy the amenities, boat slip, tennis, outdoor pool. **\$128,900**

U24 SKI HARBOR - B8896 - Lakefront in the best location! Undoubtedly the best view of the lake & ski slopes. Price incl. purchaser's choice of carpet and new furniture coverings & valances. **\$159,000**

LANDMARK VILLAGE - B2054635 - Contemporary lake front home w/nice lake views & private slip. 3 BR, 3 BA, see through FP, lg deck, garage, convenient central location, just minutes to Wisp. **\$174,900**

GLENDAL SHORES - B2054644 - One level end unit lakefront condo featuring 2 BR, 2 BA, FP, & incredible lake view. **\$198,500**

DEEP CREEK LAKE AREA RESIDENTIAL

BOY SCOUT ROAD - B2049288 - 1.28 ac. bordering a stream. This is a true HUNTER'S SPECIAL. Cabin has well, septic, & electric, 2-bunk rooms, LR, kitchen & BA, work shop on the rear. The lot is partially wooded. You can't beat the price. **\$22,500**

TIMBER TRAILS - B6283 - A stone's throw from the Wisp Ski & Golf nestled in the woods w/great view of surrounding mountains. Newer cherry kitchen, recently remodeled. Attractive, comfortable year-round or vacation home. Recently reduced to **\$79,900**

THE IDEAL CABIN IN THE WOODS - B7638 - 3BR, 1990's log home near D.C.L. State Park. Great room, cathedral ceiling, oak cabinets, and FP. Level, 1-ac wooded lot is so conveniently located yet has the feel of privacy. Price is reduced & furnishings convey. **\$99,500**

LAKE ACCESS VICTORIAN - B2004114 - Wonderful home takes you back in time to the Victorian era. Features 2/3 BR's, 2 story LR with FP & hwd floors. Designer kitchen w/all appliances, views of Deep Creek Lake, & 2-car garage. **\$139,900**

DEEP CREEK LAKE AREA LOTS

LAKESHORE DRIVE - B8154 - Excellent building lot w/seasonal views of Deep Creek Lake. Short walk to public lake access. **\$23,900**

TIMBER RIDGE - B1586 - Breathtaking views of Deep Creek and WISP. 1.3 ac sites available. **FROM \$18,900**

GREAT STARTER HOME - B961046 - Get your foot in the door by owning this vacation home. Mobile on 1.41 acres very close to Swallow Falls & Herrington Manor. Improved w/ well, septic, electric & telephone. **\$27,900**

HAS IT ALL! - B2053200 - This 2.95 ac building site has everything you are looking for. Great views & good location. **\$35,000**

SOUTHERN GARRETT COUNTY RESIDENTIAL

HANDYMAN'S DREAM - B2022030 - Handyman needed to restore this 3BR, 1 1/2 BA, 2 story into a great home. Priced for immediate sale. **\$24,900**

412 OAKLAND DR. - B2090648 - All new carpet in this 3BR rancher. Full bsmt w/shower BA and flue for wood stove. A must see at this price. **\$56,900**

JENNINGS RANDOLPH LAKE AREA - B2007816 - Quiet & private only .01 mi. from Jennings Randolph lake. 4BR, 2 1/2 BA, separate DR, oak KT w/piano bar. Oversized garage on 2.2+ ac. Cherry trees & grape arbor. **\$57,000**

GREAT LOCATION FOR KIDS - B9207 - This 3BR rancher offers great location for bike riding. Family room & large back yard add to the appeal. **\$59,900**

TABLE ROCK RD - B2123888 - 2 BR, 1 BA rancher w/ full bsmt, 1 car attached garage situated nicely on 2.6+ acs. mostly all wooded. 13 month home protection plan for buyer. A great buy only **\$59,900**

809 Q STREET, MLP - B8236 - Nice ranch style home in great area close to Broadford Park. 3BR's & huge eat-in kitchen recently upgraded w/oak cabinets. Woodstove, 2-car attached garage, paved driveway. Call for details. **Reduced to \$59,950**

128 B STREET - B2027810 - 2 BR home on corner lot, beautifully decorated. Full bsmt w/wood burner. Fenced lawn. In new residential community. **\$61,900**

50 BIRD AVE. - B2070748 - Enjoy the privacy of 1.80+ ac. lot, improved w/3 BR, 2 BA home. Well maintained & offering LR w/brick FP, single car garage, full bsmt w/brick FP. Yours for only **\$66,900**

MORE THAN JUST A HOUSE!! - B7633 - This property is an investment opportunity! 2BR rancher with lower level apartment that could make your mortgage. **\$69,900**

513 N STREET - B2121879 - Immaculately maintained raised rancher, featuring 3 BR, 2 1/2 BA, hwd floors, oak kitchen, AC, full bsmt w/ cedar closet. Patio in back for entertaining, paved driveway & landscaped yard. A true value at **\$69,900**

163 MITCHELL DRIVE - B9158 - Contemporary home in great neighborhood, offering 4 BR, 2 1/2 BA, FR w/FP & woodstove insert. Single car garage. Now reduced by \$7,000 to make this an excellent value! **Only \$79,000**

705 L STREET - B2028835 - 3 BR home in mint condition, professionally decorated. Includes storage shed & satellite dish. Lg deck & brick patio area. Must see! **\$87,000**

FOSTER ROAD - B2094132 - Step inside this tastefully decorated & remodeled 3 BR, 3 BA rancher w/full bsmt, 2 FPs, skylights, ceramic tile floors plus 32x42 garage w/lower level work area. Priced to sell **\$99,900**

ROYAL CHARLOTTE RD - B2028871 - Like brand new this 3BR, 2 1/2 BA rancher sets on 3.7 ac. of park-like setting. Many extras, i.e., paved drive, screened porch, storage building, garden spot. **\$169,900**

SOUTHERN GARRETT AREA LOTS

YOUGH RESORT - B9209 - Half acre building site on Bear Crest. Subject to Youghiogheny Mt. Resort restrictions. **\$3,500**

ALT HOUSE HILL, OAKLAND - B7883 - 6+ acres unimproved w/some frontage on the Potomac River. Lots of road frontage w/easy access, very secluded. **\$15,000**

BACKBONE RIDGE - B2022532 - Wooded 2-acre lot near Monongahela National Forest. Great cabin site! **\$15,900**

ALT HOUSE HILL, OAKLAND - B7882 - 15+ ac. of woodland, streams, private setting, road frontage. Perfect for a home away from home. Lots of wild life!! **\$22,500**

MEMORIAL DRIVE - B9079 - Beautiful 1.5 acre lot on Memorial Drive in Oakland. Would make great building site, private wooded setting, yet in town. **\$31,500**

PYSELL CROSS CUT ROAD - B7787 - This wooded 25.72 ac. parcel slopes up from road w/views. Close to Deep Creek or town with 300+ of road frontage. Homesite cleared & perked. **\$49,900**

NORTHERN GARRETT COUNTY RESIDENTIAL

RIVERFRONT PROPERTY - B2019543 - Set on your porch & fish in river. Very scenic & in a quaint hamlet of Friendsville. Walk to downtown. Town sewer & water. Small house needs renovation. **\$15,000**

ACCIDENT - B2090930 - Newer Rancher w/ town convenience but country views! 2 lg. decks, FP, 3 BR's, & 2 BA. Move-in condition. **\$60,500**

VISTA RIDGE, SECLUDED MOUNTAIN GET-AWAY - B2015499 - Acres of beautiful woodland w/3BR, log sided cabin shell, cathedral ceilings, EBB heat with wood burning stove. A great get away only **\$65,000**

ACCIDENT - B2014305 - Cozy 3 BR rancher in excellent condition. Quiet yet convenient location. FP, breakfast bar & 2 full BA add to the appeal. **\$67,000**

GREENWOOD RIDGE - B2127177 - Panoramic view of farmlands & the country village of Accident from this mountaintop home on 2.4 acs. A perfect starter home, 3 BR, 1,000 sq. ft., endless potential. Home Warranty coverage. Close to I-68. **\$106,000**

CUSTOM HOME - B2050380 - A quality Mosser-built 15+ room residence with countless special features. 3,000 sq. ft. finished living space, LR, formal dining room, 4 BR, 2 1/2 BA, 2 FPs, woodstove, & so much more. .95 acre **\$160,000**

OLD MORGANTOWN ROAD - B2093192 - Beautiful stone & cedar home on 2 acs offering scenic view of surrounding countryside. Near I-68 for easy commute to Cumberland or Morgantown. Additional land & barn also available. **\$189,900**

SAVAGE RIVER - B2047580 - This custom designed home offers over 3700 sq. ft. of living area & a view that will knock your socks off! Lg 3 ac lot provides serene country setting. One of a kind! **\$245,000**

NORTHERN GARRETT AREA LOTS

RESIDENTIAL VIEW LOT - B9514 - 4.5 ac. lot with excellent view of Accident & surrounding area. **\$34,900**

HEMLOCK ACRES - B9089 - Just off Rt. 40 you can step into the woods & into your own private spot. Two sites available. 2.67 ac./3.37 ac. Starting at **\$18,500**

NOAH FRAZEE ROAD - B9146 - Approximately 41 acres, some fields & some woods, stream, views, this one has it all. Call for additional details & a showing appointment. **\$74,900**

FARMS & ACREAGE

FAIRVIEW CHURCH ROAD - B2047541 - Picturesque farm comprised of 90.77+ acres of wooded crop/pasturable land. Includes 2 story farmhouse w/new elec. Service, 3 car block garage (great for workshop area), spring, & tranquil setting. Ideal for hunters. **\$99,000**

COMMERCIAL

SANG RUN ROAD - B8356 - TC, half acres (.57 ac) lot close to ski slopes; ideal for shops or residence/business combination. **\$69,000**

SOUND INVESTMENT, BIG REWARDS - B2040556 - The Redwood Apartment Building is now available for sale featuring 7 units, 4 units convey completely furnished, well maintained, lots of updates, just 30 minutes South of Oakland. **\$69,900**

MID-TOWN PLAZA - B9210 - Commercial opportunity showing a good rate of return. Call for more information. **\$78,000**

MAIN ST. FRONTAGE - B7896 - 3 apartments, plus retail or office space, provides a healthy return on your money. **\$135,000**

COMMERCIAL STOREFRONT/OFFICE - B2015794 - Huge 10,000 square ft building in downtown Oakland w/part of building under current long term lease. About 7,000' left. Great for user/investor. Building in excellent condition. **\$325,000**

COMMERCIAL INVESTMENT - B7797 - Attractive 40+ ac. close to Oakland. Good location for shopping center, restaurant or apartment complex. Conventional to town on RT 219. **\$525,000**

PRIME COMMERCIAL PROPERTY - B6183 - Outstanding location for business! Across from Food Lion on RT 219. Great visibility in high traffic area on main artery. Priced to sell now **\$550,000**

DEVELOPMENT PROPERTY - B7798 - 60+ acres adjoining Mitchell Manor. No zoning sewer & water at street. Excellent commercial or development potential. Can buy all or 1 ac. **\$850,000**

WEST VIRGINIA COUNTRY RESIDENTIAL

103 RINGER AVE. - B2031124 - Traditional home w/3-4 BR, 1BA, enclosed sun porch, 1-car attached garage, natural gas heat, new roof. On corner lot. Lots of potential. Great starter home or investment. **\$18,500**

201 WILLARD ST., TERRA ALTA - B2072224 - Only \$25,000 can put you into a very nice 2 story traditional home in a nice neighborhood. Featuring 4 BR, hwd floors, lots of windows, detached garage w/work area, all on a corner lot. Call today for more details. **\$39,900**

112 CALDWELL STREET, TERRA ALTA - B2061895 - On attractive street, lots of updates included new roof, new carpet, new BA & much more! Call Today! **\$39,900**

WEST VIRGINIA - B8530 - Home sweet home! 3-4 BR rancher features incl. stone FP in LR. Wood accents, newly built garage w/workshop area. Deck off kitchen. Home Protection Plan **\$59,900**

HAZELTON, WV - B968035 - If you are looking for a home in the country w/some land, look at this 3 BR, 2 BA, Ranch style home on 4 beautiful acs, small stream, spring, several outbuildings, & just a few minutes from I-68. A great place to raise your family. **\$68,000**

AURORA, WV - B968022 - Well maintained brick rancher on approx. 1 ac. privately situated, featuring 3BR, 1BA, 2 car attached garage, paved drive. A great home at a great price. Call today! **\$69,900**

ALPINE LAKE - B2123859 - Weekend hideaway for your family & friends with have plenty of room. 2-3 BR, 2 BA cedar chalet nestled on all wooded lot. **Only \$69,900**

ALPINE LAKE - B2123906 - When only the best will do, consider this rustic & charming 3 BR, 2 full bath contemporary loaded with custom details. On wooded corner lot. **Only \$98,500**

ALPINE LAKE RESORT - B2072941 - Like new quality built contemporary home nestled on all wooded lot featuring 3 BR, 2 full BA, cathedral ceilings, native stone FP, finished bsmt w/wood burner, 2-car garage, much more. Call for more details. **\$99,900**

KINGWOOD, WV - B9257 - 1920, 2-story, brick home beautifully situated on 1/2 acre lot boasting with character & charm with 5BR's, HDWD floors, beautiful oak woodwork, FP & much more. Call for more details. **\$135,000**

WEST VIRGINIA LOTS

VEPCO LAKE, LOT #18 - B2031139 - Pisgah woods subdivision. Deeded lake access to 2,000 ac warm water lake. Great fishing, wind surfing, scuba diving. This one is a great place to start, mobiles allowed. **\$19,900**

LANTZ RIDGE - B968034 - 83+ acres of wooded mountain land near Rowlesburg, WV. Great for hunting! Close to Cheat River Whitewater Rafting. Hunting season is not far away! Call today. **\$45,000**

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DO YOU GET IT? If not, check out the lower left corner of the shot. Photographer John McEwen said he didn't have time to ask these chickens just why they were heading across the highway, so he missed the opportunity to finally get the definitive answer. The speculation was that these two roosters and their hen girlfriend were perhaps playing a game of chicken, seeing just who would make it and who would be fricasseed by the next passing truck. The wayward

barnyard birdbrains were wandering along Rt. 219 just south of Accident when McEwen spotted them and just couldn't pass up the opportunity. Perhaps the feathered friends were enjoying one of the very few pleasant days the county has had over the past several weeks. The weather has generally been for the birds -- wet, rainy, and cold -- rather fowl.

Building Permits To Be Required In Garrett Co.

In accordance with conditions of the Maryland Building Performance Standards Act, Garrett County must pass an ordinance to adopt a county-wide building permit and inspection requirement to be effective August 1 of this year. The work has been initiated by the Garrett County Planning and Zoning Office staff, along with consultant Sheldon Dearden.

The county is required to adopt the Building Officials' Code Administration (BOCA) National Building Code, part of which calls for the establishment of a county office of building permits and inspections (OBPI). The Garrett County OBPI will operate under the supervision of the planning and zoning office.

Dearden said the main purpose of this state and county endeavor is to assure reasonable protection to the public against hazards to life, health, and property.

Based on past building activity in the county, the officials envision that the fees charged for the building permits and inspections will make the OBPI largely self-sustaining. Any increased tax burden should be minimal to none, according to Dearden. The planning and zoning office did initiate a county-wide building permit program on April 1. Until July 31, these

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MSP Continue To Seek Info On Shooting

Maryland State Police at Barrack W. McHenry, continue their investigation of a recent drive-by shooting and seek help from the public in their search.

The shooting incident occurred April 10 on Finzel Road around 9 p.m. Cpl. Steve Vincent, heading up the MSP probe, said they are looking for any information on the vehicle driven by the shooter. Witnesses described it as a small gray or white car resembling a Chevrolet Chevette with square head lights. The muffler or exhaust system is very loud, according to reports.

Anyone with information is asked to call the police at the McHenry barracks, 387-1101 or 895-1101.

Public Hearing On New Lake Ordinances Set

The proposed Deep Creek Lake Watershed Zoning Ordinance will be the subject of a public hearing on Monday, April 28, in Room 314 of the Garrett Community College Continuing Education Building. The ordinance has been developed by the Garrett County Planning and Zoning Office in compliance with the Growth Management Act of 1992.

John Nelson, planning and zoning office director,

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Garrett Lakes Arts Festival's 1997 Season Of Events Is Announced

A full season of entertainment has been scheduled by the Garrett Lakes Arts Festival (GLAF) this year with programs to appeal to all ages and interests. According to Executive Director Fred Stemple, sponsors have been obtained for all of the programs, most of which will be held at Garrett Community College.

The season will begin with the musical comedy *Nonsense*, directed by Nancy Learey and Sue Harkins and presented with permission of Samuel French, Inc., New York City, on May 2, 3, 9, 10, and 11 in the GCC auditorium. The sponsor for this production is the First United National Bank & Trust. At the McHenry House on May 7, GLAF will present a concert by the Tommy Dorsey Orchestra with Buddy Morrow, sponsored by a number of local individuals.

Two concerts on the GCC lawn are next on the schedule--the West Virginia University Steel Band on June 1, presented by Anchor Energy of Morgantown, W.Va., and a Zydeco concert with Chris Ardoin, sponsored by the Wisp Resort Hotel, on June 15. A free concert by the United States Army Field Band, sponsored by Westvac, is scheduled for June 26 at Southern High School.

Community civic and service organizations will present the Garrett County

Heritage program to be produced by Betty Mattingly at GCC on July 12. "An Evening of Barbershop" on July 25 will be sponsored by the Wisp Resort Hotel, and a WVU African Ensemble concert on the GCC lawn on August 1 will be sponsored by Mettiki Coal Corporation.

The Symphony at Deep Creek classical music series with Erick Friedman, director, and Kathryn Sincell, executive director, will be sponsored by the Sincell Publishing Company, Inc.

MSP Recover Burned Truck, Seek Witnesses

A burned Dodge pick-up truck was found in a field near Devil's Half Acre Road, Keyser's Ridge, on April 17, according to reports filed at Maryland State Police, Barrack W. McHenry.

The red, 1996, short-bed Ram had reportedly been stolen from the Grantsville residence of Harry Sines some time between 11 p.m. April 14 and 5:30 p.m. April 15. One witness allegedly saw the burned vehicle in the field on April 15 at 4 p.m.

Based on information received, the police believe the vehicle was stolen, driven to the field, and set on fire on April 15. Cpl. Steve Vincent, who is investigating this case, said the field in which they found the vehicle is close to the Route 219 bridge over I-68. He has asked any motorist who may have seen the fire or the truck to report the information to the police. Cpl. Vincent also asked anyone who knows someone with a recently wrecked similar Dodge truck to call MSP, Barrack W. at 387-1101 or 895-1101.

The Office of the State Fire Marshal was also on-hand. The report filed with the fire marshal noted the vehicle was insured by Erie Insurance and the estimate of damage was \$20,000.

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GLAF's *NUNSENSE* SPONSORED BY FIRST UNITED - In an example of the community pooling resources to keep the arts alive in Garrett County, the First United National Bank & Trust has provided funding for the Garrett Lakes Arts Festival (GLAF) presentation of *Nonsense*, a popular musical comedy by Dan Goggin. The show, which is under the direction of Nancy Learey and Sue Harkins and starring a cast of 10 local actors, will take the Garrett Community College stage on the evenings (8 p.m.) of May 2, 3, 9, and 10, and in a matinee performance (3 p.m.) on May 11. The play is also funded in part by the arts councils of Maryland and Garrett County. It is about the Little Sisters of Hoboken, an order first established when a small group of nuns from England on their way to set up a motherhouse in Cleveland got off the plane in Newark by mistake. Tickets for the show are available at the GLAF office at GCC (387-3082) or at the following pharmacies: Englander's, Deep Creek, Beachy's, and Gregg's. Admission is \$8 for adults and \$4 for youth 17 and younger. Robert Korte, president and chief financial manager of First United, is pictured above right as he presents a check to Fred Stemple, GLAF executive director. Mother Superior (alias Kaylen Carlson) stands by to make sure everyone plays nicely.

Braskey Submits Resignation As Commissioner

Garrett County Commissioner John Braskey announced Tuesday that he will resign from his commissioner post on June 30. Having been hired by the Department of Natural Resources as the project officer for Western Maryland adventure sports as of Jan. 1, Braskey's position as commissioner has been in question by the State Ethics Commission for some months. The Commission was exploring the possibility of a conflict of interests with Braskey in effect holding down two governmental positions.

An informal hearing on the matter was held in early March, at which time the Commission decided to slate a formal hearing for April 24. That hearing has been canceled in light of Braskey's announcement of his resignation.

Braskey reported Tuesday that he has informed Governor Parris Glendening of his decision, as well as Don Fratz, chairman of the Garrett County Democratic Central Committee. Secretary John Griffin has also been informed, Braskey reported.

The commissioner stated that he will continue to work with Gorman Getty III, county attorney, to avoid any conflict over the next two months between his commissioner position and his employment with the DNR.

To fill Braskey's position, a successor will be recommended to the governor by the Democratic Central Committee and he or she will then be appointed.

Thorne said the corps apparently reserves the right to negotiate the agreement even after selecting a contractor, so he assumes this is what is happening.

"I've tried to get information, but I haven't been very successful," Thorne said. "They've had our matching funds for months. I don't know why things are not moving."

The Shallmar Road was damaged severely in the September 1996 flood, which was caused by Hurricane Fran. This sole road into the 80-family town was closed to school buses for several weeks and then was temporarily shored up by the county roads department.

The Army Corps of Engineers came onto the scene in October and at that time told the county the job could possibly be done with federal money. Shortly after that meeting, the county was informed that matching funds of over \$200,000 would have to be put into the project. After several weeks of scrambling to find the funds, the county was able to meet the requirement through a loan from the State Highway Administration.

It was the understanding

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Sheriff Issues Statement In Defense Of Credit Card Use

Claiming that he believed that certain expenditures with a credit card were legitimate and "part of his salary," Garrett County Sheriff Randy Sines responded with a public statement this week to allegations of misuse of that card. Sines is the focus of an investigation by the Maryland State Prosecutor's Office after evidence of the alleged misuse was submitted by Garrett County State's Attorney Lisa Thayer Welch.

The allegations stem from credit card statements that show Sines made a number of personal purchases in 1995, among them tickets to Sea World in Texas totalling \$55.92, merchandise from Hard Rock Cafe totalling \$140.08, and clothing from Geoffrey Beene, an exclusive men's store, that cost \$434.60. All of the statements, which also carried numerous items that were evidently purchased for the jail and sheriff's office, were authorized for payment by the county commissioners.

"Let me assure the citizens of Garrett County that I have not been guilty of any knowing wrongdoing," Sines says in his statement (presented to *The Republican* in the form of a letter to the editor - see page A-4 for the entire statement). "Every expenditure I made using the credit card either was directly related to the performance of my official duties or part of the compensation to which I thought I was entitled."

While Garrett County administrator Monty Pagehardt said this week that the county commissioners

office "has no record of any application for a credit card for Sheriff Sines," the sheriff says in his statement that the issuance of the card "was done with the full knowledge of the county commissioners" and he noted that his predecessor, Van Evans, also had a county credit card.

Sines also defends himself by saying that all of the monthly statements for the credit card were submitted to the county commission-

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Walt Andrus To Sing With Tommy Dorsey Orchestra



Songs that appeal to all generations of music lovers will be sung by Walt Andrus when the Tommy Dorsey Orchestra performs at the McHenry House, Wisp Resort, on May 7. The orchestra, directed by Buddy Morrow and presented by the Garrett Lakes Arts Festival, will play an hour-long concert and then will invite guests to dance to popular tunes until 11:30 p.m.

A native of Connecticut, Andrus has toured throughout the United States, Canada, Europe, and Japan, performing in such places as the Waldorf Astoria in New York, the Moulin Rouge in Chicago, and the Hollywood Bowl, as well as at numerous fairs, festivals, and civic arenas.

He has been playing and singing with bands since he was 12 and has been a vocalist with the Tommy Dorsey Orchestra since 1988.

"To people my age, this is new music," Andrus said of his repertoire. "Some of the music may be torn and tattered, but it still sounds as though the ink is wet. us, the music is fresh and challenging."

Andrus said he performed the music of the great stars of the 40s and 50s, new material that fits style and range. He performs several songs introduced by Frank Sinatra during the Big Band Era.

Tickets are \$20 for adults and \$10 for youth age 17 and younger. They are available at the GCC office at GCC (387-3082) at the following pharmacies: Englander's, Deep Creek, Beachy's, and Gregg's.

The program is funded in part by the Garrett County Arts Council and the Maryland State Arts Center.

The Garrett Girls Finish Season With Two Championship Titles

The Garrett Girls Indoor Guard ended its 1997 competitive season last weekend after capturing the Chapter XIII Championship Title in the Scholastic Class A category. This is the second first-place championship the group has won this season.

The competition last weekend was held at Frankfort High School in Ridgely, W.Va. The local group was up against guards from Allegany, Westmar, Middletown, and Frankfort high schools.

The Garrett Girls competed at Black Hawk High School, Beaver Falls, Pa., on March 22 and at that competition the group was crowned the 1997 Tri-State Open Scholastic Class A Champion. Other groups in this contest were from the following Pennsylvania high schools: Baldwin, Black Hawk, Carick, and McGuffey.

The group performed in contests from early March through last weekend, competing against guards from Maryland, Pennsylvania, and West Virginia. First place trophies were captured at every show on the young women's travel schedule, including Northern Garrett's "Ice Box Bash," Westmar's "Invita-

tional," "The Big Blue Bash" at Allegany, competitions at Carick and Beaver Falls, high schools, and finally at the chapter championship at Frankfort.

The program this year for the local guard is set to the music of Nancy Sinatra and José Feliciano. The face-paced show opens with *How Does That Grab You, Darlin'?* and *These Boots Were Made For Walkin'* and ends with *High-Heeled Sneakers*.

Captains this year are seniors Amanda Mountain and Abby Nichols. The director of the group is Richard Clever, and the program designer is Blair Glass, with Tina Harvey serving as equipment and movement technician. The floor crew members are Josh Peck, Jamie Durst, Paul Tepper, Amy Snyder, Chris Rondeau, Kyle Snyder, Bryan Barnard, and Tim Beckman.

The Garrett Girls will perform this year's show at the conclusion of the Southern Garrett Spring Concert, slated for Thursday, May 8, beginning at 7:30 p.m. The Garrett Girls performance time will be near 9 p.m. Also scheduled to perform is the Southern Middle School indoor guard.



THE GARRETT GIRLS, REPEATEDLY GARRETT GIRLS, AN INDOOR GUARD FOR SEVERAL YEARS, EARNED FIRST PLACE TROPHIES AT A TRAVEL SCHEDULE THIS YEAR, AND WERE WINNING THE CHAPTER XIII CHAMPIONSHIP TITLE IN THE SCHOLASTIC CLASS A CATEGORY. THE GARRETT GIRLS WILL PERFORM THIS YEAR'S SHOW SOUTHERN GARRETT SPRING CONCERT.

The Generosity Of Others Gives Life To Some Garrett County Residents

by David Foster

The world fades into misty gray, one more proof of what your dying body has already been telling you - the end is near. There is no sense to this outrage. You are young yet, and there was so much that you hoped to do. You remember friends or loved ones who had died years before and you think of all they have missed in the passing years. You think of the children that will grow up, the friends and loved ones that will continue on, the chances for love that you will lose. You are reconciled, or perhaps not, but there is nothing that you can do that you haven't already tried, driven by the thin edge of rising desperation.

The telephone rings. Someone else's tragedy is your salvation. A second chance. Perhaps. If you are lucky.

Luck, or grace, is with you. Through the months of recovery you grow stronger, the fog of death recedes and your new organ works - you do get another chance. You are thankful for the skill of the surgeons, for the medicines that keep you alive, and above all to that unknown person whose own courage gave you your life back.

And the years that have been given to you are so sweet...

- An anonymous local resident
Kidney recipient in 1991

This week is National Organ and Tissue Donor Awareness Week. Over 50,000 Americans are waiting for organ and tissue transplants, 1,708 of them Maryland residents. More than 50 people from Garrett and Allegany counties are on organ recipient lists in Maryland hospitals; the number is higher if you include other Garrett County residents on the lists of nearby West Virginia, Pennsylvania and Virginia hospitals.

Pour a cup of coffee, pull up a chair, and visit for a few moments with some of your neighbors whose lives depend on organ donations; then let's talk about how you can help.



Pat Bowser and her husband Rod

Pat Bowser, Friendsville

"I received a liver in 1991," says Patricia Bowser, "and I wouldn't be here today without it."

Bowser has been making the most of life before and after her liver transplant. As a volunteer firefighter/EMT, secretary, and assistant fire chief of the Friendsville Volunteer Fire Department, her life has a direct impact on her community. She also uses her personal experience to educate others.

"When I teach classes in First Aid, I always share a saying from the Pittsburgh Organ Center: 'Don't take your organs with you to heaven, because heaven knows we need them here on earth.' But people also need to know that there are a number of ways to give. You don't have to die in order to help others live, because anyone can

donate bone marrow. It's a lot like giving blood, which is also very important," she said.

In debt to an anonymous hero, Bowser is forever grateful for her second chance at life. "At the hospital, I met a lot of people who also needed organ donations. We all had a feeling of hope, a faith that God would come through; but one of the toughest emotions for me to deal with was that someone had to die in order for me to live. Rod, my husband, helped put things into perspective, pointing out that God was calling someone home, someone who must be very dear to Him because they were giving enough to be a donor. We feel as if it's all part of God's plan," she concluded.



Clark Glatfely and his family
-Amy, Clark, Lori, and Sharon

Clark Glatfely, Grantsville

Clark Glatfely, who was told that he had a year to live at the time of his transplant surgery, agrees. "I think that the good Lord above had a lot to do with saving my life. The way I look at it, it takes three people: God, the doctor, and the donor," he said.

Nine years after receiving a liver at Johns Hopkins, Glatfely is still in awe of the anonymous donor who saved his life. "I think it's a wonderful thing to give another person a chance at life through your kindness. My wife Sharon and our whole family have signed up to be organ donors. We really didn't know about donating organs before I got sick," he said.

Glatfely's wife Sharon helped him live through his ordeal, and she found faith to be a source of strength for both of them. "We did lots of praying and positive thinking, doing our best to keep good thoughts in mind. If your outlook is down, it makes everything more difficult. I would often remind Clark not to give up, because we still had two kids to raise, and they loved and needed their father. That helped give him something to live for."



Kathy Helbig and her grandson Zachary Finch

Kathy Helbig, Oakland

Without an organ donation, Kathy Helbig would have never lived to see her one-year-old grandson Zachary.

Helbig doesn't know her hero's name, but she does know something of his story. "I received a liver in 1993 from an 18-year-old Philadelphia man," she explained. "He

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and a buddy of his were killed in a car accident; I was given his liver, and another patient in Alaska got the liver from the other man. Although his family wished to remain anonymous, if I could I would love to have the opportunity to thank them for being so caring that they would share of their son to save my life."

Helbig's doctor later told her that she had only three months to live without the organ donation.

"My liver had been deteriorating for 10 years, and over that period I received over 250 pints of blood during various operations and transfusions. I was very sick, tired all the time, and had severe pains in my side; yet I always kept busy. I worked full time all those years, did a lot of praying, and got the best support in the world from my husband Terry. We tried not to dwell on the disease too much. But since the transplant I feel great. I'll always have to take medications to prevent my body's immune system from rejecting the liver, but I'm considered to be cured," Helbig said.

Although the medications prevent her from being an organ donor, Helbig is donating her body for medical research purposes. "I wish I could be an organ donor," she said. "How often can you give someone else a second chance at life? It has to be the greatest gift anyone could give. I've encouraged everyone I know to sign up to be a donor; even if you're old, you're not used up. You can still give skin, bone marrow, and other body parts."

Helbig also has some advice for people waiting for organ donations: "Don't ever give up, because there is always hope. Keep working and living, and your call will come."

How To Help

As this is National Organ and Tissue Donor Awareness Week, we should be aware of the role each of us can play in giving others a second chance at life. All it takes is a pen and a giving heart.

•When getting or renewing a driver's license, one can sign up to be an organ donor on the back of the license application.

•When getting a tax refund check from the IRS this year, one will find a blank organ donor card in the envelope, too.

•There is a toll-free number available at the Transplant Resource Center of Maryland. Call 1-800-641-HERO.

Please take a moment and consider being an organ donor. Share life - recycle yourself.

Building Permits

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permits are issued free of charge. John Nelson, director of the planning office, noted that this is to help the community "get in the practice" of going through the building permit program.

All Garrett Counties, including those who live in incorporated towns, are subject to the building permit requirement. The towns may each elect to enforce the BOCA code by August 1, but if they choose not to do so, the county will take on that responsibility. Each town government has been asked to come to a decision on this issue, according to Dearden.

To be in full compliance with the BOCA code, the new OBPI office will have four primary responsibilities: 1) to issue building permits, 2) to review building plans, 3) to conduct inspections of permitted construction, and 4) to issue Use and Occupancy (U&A) permits.

The county officials are currently in the process of hiring a person for the position of building code

official and have plans to hire a building inspector in June. Plumbing and electrical inspections will continue to be made by the Middle Atlantic Inspection Department (MDIA) but the plumbing and electrical permits will be obtained through the OBPI.

In a chilling statistic, every day eight Americans die waiting for an organ transplant; and while 90% of Americans support the concept of using organ donations to save lives, less than half of them have actually signed up to donate their organs after their demise. Fewer have even discussed the matter with their families, which is the first and most vital step in donating an organ to someone whose life could depend on it.

Shallmar Waits

Continued from Page A-1 of the county officials that once the money was received by the Army Corps (which happened in February), only a matter of weeks would pass before work would start.

The Garrett County Commissioners directed Thorne this week to contact the offices of Congressman Roscoe Bartlett, Senator Sarbanes, and others in an effort to get the project underway.



The Bosley Children - Emilee, Kambrie, and Torie

Danny Bosley, Oakland

Waiting for just such a call are Angie Bosley and her three young daughters, 6-year-old Torie, Emilee, 4 years, and 7-month-old baby Kambrie. The young Bosley family is waiting for the call that will save the life of their husband and father.

"It's something we've had to learn to live with," Angie said. "We eloped eight years ago to Winchester, Va., and Danny was sick even then. Eight days after we were married he was in Johns Hopkins University Hospital for a liver biopsy. We've been living with it ever since."

Danny Bosley is upfront, and upbeat, about his condition. "An extremely rare chronic liver disease is slowly destroying my liver," he said. "It's the exact same disease Kathy Helbig had. I'm not real ill too often, but it's a progressive thing, and gets worse every year. I've had several liver operations at Johns Hopkins, and have been on the transplant list for a year and a half."

While on a waiting list, Bosley isn't waiting for life to come to him - he's living it now, one day at a time. "I'm always a positive thinker," he said. "I work hard, and enjoy my family - this has brought Angie and I closer together, and I show my little girls I love them every chance I get. I do think I'll get a donated liver someday, and continue to live a full and generating life thereafter."

Although in need of his own organ donation, Bosley and his family are concerned with the needs of others. "Angie has signed up to be a donor, and if I was able to I'd still be on the donor list. I hope my kids sign up as donors when they are old enough, and should something tragic happen to one of them between now and then, we'd give our consent to donate their organs to a family who needed them."

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Are you "up" on the new milk-labeling regulations? What we used to call 2 percent low-fat milk is now reduced-fat milk; it has 4.7 grams of fat per cup. 1 percent low-fat milk is now called light milk; it has 2.6 grams of fat per cup. Skim is called fat free.

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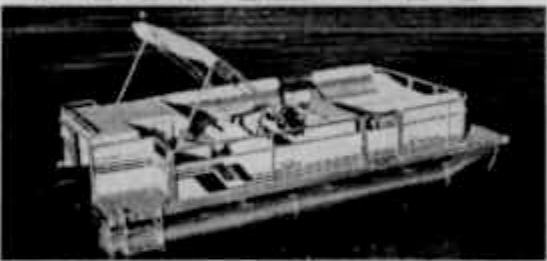
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Paying the Price...

On the heels of the Robert Fousek fiasco comes another controversy involving alleged misuse of county funds, this time by Garrett County Sheriff Randy Sines, who apparently used a county-issued credit card to purchase personal items. We have copies of the sheriff's credit card expenditures from the time that is under scrutiny (1995), and there is little question in our minds that certain purchases were strictly for personal use and not for the sheriff's office, the jail, or for prisoners (a copy of the video *Indian in the Cupboard*??).

However, we wish to make two points on the issue, one of which could lessen the apparent guilt of the sheriff and the second of which forces the county commissioners to assume at least some of the responsibility for the misuse, if indeed there has been misuse. Our intent is not to defend Sheriff Sines, but to take perhaps a more objective look at what transpired. Objectivity is particularly important right now while most county residents are feeling so paranoid and distrustful of county government because of the Fousek affair.

If, as Sheriff Sines claims in his statement this week, he was told when he came into office and received the credit card that he was permitted personal use of up to \$1,000 per year with that card, as part of his salary - if this is indeed the truth - then there has probably been no misuse. In fact, he probably has money owed to him since he has not touched the credit card for about a year and a half. His claim is that county administrator Robert Fousek explained all this to him just days after he was sworn in as sheriff. Given Fousek's record, one could easily believe that this is precisely what he told Sines.

Another indication that Sines believed he was within his bounds when he made those expenditures is the fact that the evidence is right there on the statements, available for anyone to look at. Would Sines really be that foolish to steal funds, knowing that the evidence to incriminate him was so available? The answer to that question is yet to come.

The second point is, each and every one of those credit card statements is initiated by at least two and, in several cases, all three of the commissioners, authorizing their payment. Were our commissioners so busy at the time that, when presented with a stack of such papers, they just blindly rubber-stamped their approval for payment? It really takes only a few moments to locate one or more items on those statements that immediately send up a red flag and should have, at the least, been questioned. Who else might have slipped a statement into that stack and obtained payment for something that in no way should have been purchased with county tax money?

As we stated in this column a few weeks ago, the county is today suffering the consequences of actions and inactions from many months ago, and the county commissioners have taken many positive steps in recent months to fix the problem. We are now, and may be for many months to come, paying a high price for our incredibly lax way of doing things for too many years.

Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

"I was glad when they said unto me, let us go unto the House of the Lord..." and watch the Ecumenical Youth Ministry kids sing and shout and shake it out. And that's just what they did at their concluding performance of *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat* this past Saturday night, bringing down the house at St. Peter's Parish like the very walls of Jericho. Nearly one hundred young performers dressed in robes and garlands and accompanied by a tireless, live-music group, dished out a barrel of quickly paced numbers with a taste of the pomp and pageantry of ancient Egypt. The Old Testament drama of Joseph's passage from his boyhood enslavement to his rise in power in the Pharaoh's kingdom was presented as a grand spectacle with a bold blaring of trumpets, clashing of cymbals, and gnashing of teeth just like the real thing.

Meticulously ordered as usual, Director Lynn Broderick packed a punch, arranging six alternating groups of singers/dancers, led by a small band of oracles that kept the snappy pace constantly moving and the heads of the audience wagging back and forth with the incessant action. Hidden microphones and the innovative "theater in the round" made sight and sound more accessible to the audience, and provided ample space for actors to strut their stuff before spellbound faces just as if they were in an ancient amphitheater. Highlights included a sweet, lark-voiced Joseph, pompous Potiphar, and a hilarious entourage of bawdy Frenchmen, cowpokes, and señoritas, all leading up to the final entrance of a pelvis-grinding, Elvis-esque Pharaoh with their song and dance. Topping it off, a sustained climax in which Joseph forgives and welcomes his brothers back into the fold, convincingly conveys a covenant of love, leaving the message that there is nothing so profoundly cleansing as faith, forgiveness, and the love of one's own.

Meanwhile, the band played on. Musical Director Michael Broderick whipped the musicians up a sweat until the last beat, giving the audience tons more than their money's worth. Understandably, a total of more than 1,800 spectators enjoyed the fruits of the EYM's labor during their six sold-out performances. "Truly, I say unto you..." that I was just glad to be one of them, singing along with that Higher Voice all the way home again. Thanks once again, EYM, for tuning me in.

Truly yours,
Neil Leverenz

To the Editor:

This statement is intended to respond to certain allegations which have appeared in the newspapers concerning an investigation which has been commenced by the Office of the State Prosecutor, Stephen Montanari, Esquire, regarding me.

As I understand, the investigation represents an inquiry into the propriety of certain credit card expenditures made in my capacity as sheriff of Garrett County in the first half of 1995. The investigation has been begun upon the referral of Garrett County State's Attorney Lisa Thayer Welch, because she considered that the subject was uniquely within the legal domain of the state prosecutor.

First of all, let me assure the citizens of Garrett County that I have not been guilty of any knowing wrongdoing. Every expenditure I made using the credit card either was directly related to the performance of my official duties or part of the compensation to which I thought I was entitled.

Various newspaper accounts have related that I expended some credit card funds on various motels and restaurants, and personal items. Those expenses were ones incurred while I was traveling in my role as sheriff, attending seminars or conventions connected with my official responsibilities. As we all know, it is not unusual for public officials to engage in travel and related activities of this kind, which ultimately are seen as beneficial to the local government they represent.

Review of the brief history of the credit card shows



that it has not been misused by me. The issuance of a credit card in my name, specifically as Randy L. Sines, sheriff of Garrett County, was done with the full knowledge of the county commissioners. It continued a practice which had been started by my predecessor, Van Evans, apparently with the county commissioners' blessings.

After the credit card was issued to me, I therefore submitted the monthly statements (together with supporting receipts, I believe) to the Office of the County Commissioners for payment. According to my understanding of the usual procedure, the charges were reviewed there, approved by the chairman, and then remitted to the county treasurer to be paid in the ordinary course.

Nothing which I did with regard to the use of the credit card was done secretly,

or with any attempt to disguise the nature of the charges I made. They all were open to scrutiny by the commissioners, who presumably would have disapproved them and declined to make payment if something was wrong.

All expenditures made using the official credit card were paid from funds appropriated for the operation of the sheriff's office and fully accounted for under the sheriff's office budget. Also, as I was told when I first took office, I was entitled to \$1,000 per year expense allowance, as part of my annual compensation, to be spent at my sole discretion.

Sometime in early 1996, a question was raised as to the appropriateness of the charges I had made during a trip to Texas while attending a national sheriffs' convention. The matter was inquired into by then-State's

Attorney James L. Sherbin and likewise reviewed by the state prosecutor, as I was told. No criminal conduct or other violation of public trust was found to have been committed by me. I thought that the subject was resolved at that time.

Since then, I have strictly limited my use of the official credit card, to avoid any possible difficulty or potential for misuse. My restraint in this respect has not stemmed from any thought that I previously had done anything wrong, however, but to prevent any further, unjust accusations being made against me.

I am confident that, when the state prosecutor completes his investigation, what I have just said will be borne out as true and correct. In the meantime, I intend to cooperate fully with his representative, Isabel Cumming, Esquire, in the expectation of bringing a quick end to this latest controversy.

I ask the citizens of Garrett County to continue their trust in me and their much appreciated encouragement and support, until this matter is finally concluded.

Thank you all again for your support.

Randy L. Sines
Sheriff of Garrett County

To the Editor:

On Tuesday, April 15, 1997, the *Cumberland Times-News* published a story concerning the Maryland State Prosecutor's Office conducting an inquiry into spending practices by the Garrett County Sheriff's Office. In that story, Ransom Davis, Sheriff Sines's attorney, was quoted as saying that I passed on credit card information that I obtained to the State's Attorney for Garrett County, which was in turn forwarded to the State Prosecutor's Office. I think Mr. Davis better review the facts.

First, the Garrett County Commissioners' Office sent all credit card information to the State's Attorney's Office, which was reviewed by State's Attorney Lisa Thayer Welch and was then forwarded to the state prosecutor. I was not made aware of this decision by the commissioners or by the state's attorney. I was informed after the fact, and had no input into this matter.

Second, Sheriff Sines stated that he didn't know what this was all about or understand it. I find that hard to believe. If this were so, the commissioners' office would not have received a letter more than a month ago from Ransom Davis requesting that I be denied access to all information that pertains to the sheriff's office.

Third, Ransom Davis called me an "instigator." If being concerned enough to check into how our govern-

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Community Calendar

MEETINGS

Take Off Pounds Sensibly (TOPS) #379 meets every Monday evening at the Loch Lynn Restaurant. Weigh-in is between 6:30-6:50 p.m. New members are welcome.

TOPS will hold a meeting May 1 at Mountain Glade Adult Day Care Center, Pythian Ave., Oakland. Weigh-in is 6:30-6:50 p.m. The meeting will be held from 6:30-7:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

Alcoholics Anonymous meets every Sunday, Monday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday at 8 p.m. and Wednesday at noon, at 125



Recipe: Pot Pie by Melodee Hill

My legs are swinging rhythmically back and forth under the gray metal table in the cozy, cluttered kitchen. The air is warm and aromatic with the heady scent of simmering tomato broth, seasoned with celery seed and thyme. I know that about an hour ago, before we got there, Mamaw placed some pork in the broth along with quite a few peeled, whole onions. She put in as many onions as she could, because later, there will be polite fighting among the grown-ups over those onions. Personally, I couldn't see what all the fuss was about. I don't think onions appeal to very many 9-year-olds and I certainly wouldn't eat any. I watch intently as my grandmother's gnarled hands work the shortening into the flour and salt mixture in the bowl on the table. Next, she mixes in some very cold water and turns the dough out onto a floured board so she can roll it flat enough for a crust and dumplings. The dumplings are my favorite part of the meal, and my hunger makes me impatient.

I hear my cousins and my brothers pass under the window on their way down to the pier to fish. It sounds like they are arguing about whether it is better to fish from the middle or the end of the pier. To take my mind off my hunger and to add my opinion to the debate, I rush outside. My mind, however, refuses to be distracted. I slow my pace to a walk as I picture exactly the next steps Mamaw will take as she continues to prepare dinner. She will refrigerate the dough until later and if I get back to the kitchen in time, maybe I can help cut out the dumplings. Then she will peel and cube potatoes and they will be added to the broth. After about an hour (I don't think I can wait that long!), the meat, potatoes, and those coveted onions will be taken out of the pot of broth and placed in a large Pyrex baking dish. The tomato broth will be strained into a large aluminum pot and returned to the stove to boil. I can almost hear the clacking of the tiny metal loop handle as it jitters against the top of the lid when the broth is bubbling.

You know, I've changed my mind about fishing. I never did catch up with the other kids, anyway. I turn around and walk back to the house. As I enter the kitchen, my grandmother has just finished putting the crust on the top of the baking dish. She pricks some holes in the crust and puts the pot pie into the oven, where it will bake until the crust is golden brown. I ask if I can help with the dumplings, and she answers with a small chuckle and a knowing smile. We stand together beside the table, cutting out dumplings and I realize that I am almost as tall as this plump, wrinkled woman. Usually, she would not allow anyone to help her, preferring to do everything herself because that was what she was accustomed to. I know that she had single-handedly raised four children during the depression, supporting them by working in a laundry for many years and later in a sewing factory. I know that's why her hands are so rough, yet so loving. And she has told me herself that once her family's circumstances had become more comfortable, she never did a bit more laundry, but sent her clothing and linens out to a laundry service. She still liked to sew, though, and many of us grandchildren had benefited from her considerable skill in patching, mending and creating new outfits.

Anyway, let's get on with these dumplings! Mamaw holds the lid of the pot, while I carefully drop the dumplings, one by one, into the rolling, fragrant broth. I drop a few, then stir the broth, then drop a few more. Finally, all the dumplings are in the pot. It wouldn't be long, now! I go set the table and people are already gathering, because they can smell the pot pie, especially the crust, from every room in the house. I sit down to wait, content to let the adults take over. Soon the table is laden with food: cole slaw, green beans, corn and peas. Commanding attention at the center of the table is the large baking dish, full of pot pie. Steam escapes from the tiny holes in the crispy, golden crust. Next to this is an even larger bowl containing succulent dumplings swimming in savory tomato broth. I pass my plate to my aunt, who crunches through the pot pie crust with a large spoon. She scoops a serving of meat and potatoes onto my plate (hold the onion, please), then asks if I would like some dumplings. You bet! Oh, I mean yes, please. She places a ladle full of broth and dumplings on my plate next to the pot pie. I request more dumplings. One of my uncles asks for two onions, please, and my aunt admonishes him to save some for the rest of us. The sound of their gentle squabbling fades from my awareness as the tangy taste of meat-flavored tomato broth rolls over my tongue and mingles with the creamy texture of a delicate, home-made dumpling.

Liberty St., Oakland; and Thursday at 12:30 p.m. at Garrett County Lighthouse, Inc., 20 East Oak St. (Rt. 39), Oakland. The McHenry Chapter of Alcoholics Anonymous meets every Tuesday at 8 p.m. at the McHenry United Methodist Church along Bumble Bee Road.

Al-Anon groups meet Monday at 8 p.m., at 125 Liberty St., Oakland; Wednesday at 8 p.m. at Emmanuel Lutheran Church in Bittinger; and Friday at 8 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church in the same time.

The Ougabus Society will hold its annual meeting on April 26 at 6 p.m. in Mary's Restaurant in Kingwood. A business meeting will follow the buffet dinner.

The Garrett County School Health Advisory Committee will meet on Friday, April 25, 1997, at 9 a.m. in Room 310 of the Continuing Education Building at Garrett Community College. The public is invited to attend.

The Accidental Cultural and Historical Society will hold its regular monthly meeting on Monday, April

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be on Monday, April 28, 12 noon, at the Garrett Co. Health Department, 3rd floor meeting room. The meeting is open to the public.

MISCELLANEOUS

The Southern High School class of 1987 is planning a 10-year reunion. Classmates who have ideas to share, or those with updated information are asked to call 334-9328 or 334-4364.

American Legion Proctor Kilow Post 71, Oakland, will host a Bingo on Saturday, April 26, from 5 until 9 p.m., with all proceeds of the event to be donated to the Garrett County Historical Society. Tickets are available at the post home and from Legion members.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES

The Mountain Top Ministerial Association will sponsor a local observance of the National Day of Prayer in the Garrett County Courthouse rotunda at noon on Thursday, May 1. The theme is "In God We Trust." All are invited.

A Gospel Sing is scheduled for April 25 from 7 to 10:30 p.m. at the Pleasant Valley Community Center on the Paul Friend-Joni Miller roads, reached from U.S. 219 south of Oakland. Soloists and groups welcome. Free admission and refreshments. Professional P.A. system set up. Everyone welcome. For more information contact Frank or Helen West at 301-334-9465.

The Bear Creek Church of the Brethren, Brethren Church Road, Accident, will hold a special worship service on Sunday, April 27 at 10:30 a.m. Ministering will be the singing team of Marshall and Lisa Caton of Frostburg, Md. All are invited to attend.

A revival will be held at the Deer Park Family Worship Center on Sunday, April 27, through Wednesday, April 30, beginning at 7:00 p.m. each day. Guest Evangelist John Wyrick will lead services, and there will be special singing each night.

Senior Citizens' Menus

"Eating Together" sites are now operating two days per week. The menu for the week of Apr. 28-May 2 is as follows:

Day 1 - Apricots, creamed chicken on biscuit, whipped potatoes, green beans, pudding, milk.
Day 2 - Spinach & lettuce salad, barbecue beef, noodles, succotash, wheat bread, Jello w/topping, milk.
Coffee or tea served with all meals.

On occasion, a site may opt to make a substitution in the menu. Senior citizens who wish to eat at one of the "Eating Together" sites are asked to call the individual site to check the menu for the day and to make reservations. Telephone numbers of individual sites are as follows: Flowery Vale Senior Center, Accident, 746-8824; Finzel Fire Hall, Finzel, 689-8388; Twila's Old Mill Restaurant, Friendsville, 746-5414; Old Mill Restaurant, Gorman, 334-2848; Starnes Hill Apts., Grantsville, 895-5092; Jennings Community Building, Jennings, 245-4204 or 895-5498; Kitzmiller Community Building, Kitzmiller, 453-3445; Mary Browning Senior Center, Oakland, 334-9431; 131; and Swanton Community Building, Swanton, 387-9191.

New Owners Schedule Renovation Of Long-Vacant Oakland Property

It is more than a bit of sprucing up that will occur now that the vacant building at Third and Green Streets in Oakland is under new ownership. The former Shaffer Ford Dealership was purchased by Appalachian Crossroads and is scheduled for renovation.

Bill Aspinall, executive director of Appalachian Crossroads, explained he plans to use the space to expand the existing day program offered to adults with developmental disabilities.

The administrative offices of the agency, currently housed in rental property on Liberty Street, will move to the new facility, as well as some of the mobile vocational units. The agency will gain about 4,000 square feet of additional space, he said.

Aspinall explained he selected this site for a number of reasons. "We saw it as a unique opportunity to do something to benefit the town," he said. By upgrading the empty building, he believes his organization is taking an active part in the revitalization of the town. Using the renovated municipal building as a reference, he explained that his goal is to have a facility that will blend in and enhance the appearance of one of the town's main points of entry.

Devlin Design Architects, P.C., have submitted plans for the remodeling. Devlin designed the renovation of the Oakland Municipal Building a few years ago. Aspinall is pleased about this partnership. "We're tickled pink that we could obtain the services of Doug Devlin," he said.

Asa McCain, mayor of Oakland, is also pleased with this arrangement. McCain said he is gratified to see the empty building getting another lease on life. "The options for the building didn't look promising," he said. So to have facility put to good use and given a face-lift by the new owners has a positive impact on the town. He also applauds Aspinall's choice of plan for the facade of the building.

"The architectural design is compatible with what we've done to revitalize Oakland," he said.

Spring 1998 is the target for completion of the renovation project and expansion of the Appalachian Crossroads program.

Telephone Users Must Add 301 For Local Calls

As of May 1, all local telephone calls will have to be preceded by the dialing of 301, according to a Bell Atlantic spokesperson. This is apparently in response to the ever-increasing need for additional telephone numbers in the state.

Local persons should note that any seven-digit phone number will have to be preceded by 301 as of May 1. However, the number does not have to be preceded with the digit "1," as in long-distance dialing.

Elderly individuals in particular should be informed of this change, the spokesperson noted, as it may cause some confusion for the first several weeks.

Woman Indicted On Weapon And Drug Charges

A Grantsville woman was arraigned in Garrett County Circuit Court last week after being indicted by the March Term Grand Jury.

Cheryl L. Combs, 41, has been charged with possession of marijuana with intent to distribute, possession of marijuana, possession of drug paraphernalia, maintaining a common nuisance, possession of a machine gun, and possession of a firearm.

Details leading to Combs's arrest were not available, but will be reported when the case is heard in circuit court. The date of the hearing was not yet noted in the court report.

Combs was one of 16 individuals indicted by the Grand Jury this spring.



THE SHAPE OF THINGS TO COME - Devlin Design Architects, P.C., drew these views of the former Shaffer Ford building that will soon be renovated. The vacant structure on Third Street, Oakland, is facing a brighter future now that it has been purchased for use by Appalachian Crossroads. The brick building, which has been without a tenant for many years, will serve to expand

services and consolidate office space for Appalachian Crossroads. Oakland's Mayor Asa McCain praised Bill Aspinall, executive director of Appalachian Crossroads, for his choice of a site that would add to the revitalization of Oakland. Above is the front elevation as it will look after renovation. Below is a view of Third Street showing how the new facility will enhance Oakland.



County Takes Part In DNR's Forest Buffer Initiative

A buffer planting of 21 trees -- 15 transplanted from the Garrett County landfill and six donated by the Garrett County Forestry Board -- took place along King's Run on April 15 as part of Maryland's Streamside Forest Campaign, an effort spearheaded by the Maryland Department of Natural Resources (DNR) Forest Service.

The buffer will protect the stream and fulfill Garrett County's obligation to re-forest the site which was exchanged for the new trash collection area at the Mt. Nebo Wildlife Management Area (WMA).

Hundreds of business leaders, political persons, citizens, boy and girl scout troops and environmental groups joined together Saturday, April 19, across the state and planted a total of 10 miles of trees and seedlings as part of the forest buffer initiative.

The theme of the plantings effort is "Our Link Between Land and Water." The goal is to sow 600 miles of "riparian" or streamside, forest buffers by the year 2010.

"Planting forest buffers along our waterways is essential to our overall program to protect and

restore the Chesapeake Bay," stated Governor Parris Glendening. "Only through working with concerned citizens across the state can we achieve this important environmental goal."

According to information from the DNR, streamside buffers prevent erosion and filter pollutants from rainwater run-off, which results in cleaner water flowing into rivers and streams. They are also important habitat for hundreds of wildlife species.

For more information about these plantings, persons may contact the local DNR office at Mt. Nebo at 301-334-3296.

Amount Raised For Shelter Noted By GCCW

The Garrett County Commission for Women (GCCW) and the GCCW Domestic Violence Shelter Project Steering Committee announced this week that nearly \$30,000 was raised over a year and a half period to benefit the shelter project.

The money, in the amount of \$28,446, was collected through marriage license fees, special projects, and specified court fees, according to Susan Athey-Oxford, GCCW spokesperson. The amount noted was collected in the time period of July 1995 through December 1996.

At the suggestion of the GCCW, the Garrett County Board of Commissioners signed a resolution approximately two years ago that allowed for \$5 of every marriage license purchased to go toward the acquisition of a domestic violence shelter. The licenses cost \$20 each, and the remaining \$15 is to be spent on domestic violence prevention programs. The shelter building was purchased by the Community Action Committee, Inc., and a lease agreement was entered this year. Now the \$5 marriage license allotment will be used to maintain that agreement and to maintain the shelter.

According to Frances Callis, director of the Domestic Violence Sexual Assault Resource Center, the shelter has been open since March 20 and has housed some individuals in need. The shelter currently has one full-time employee, three part-time, and several volunteers.

"There has been tremendous support for this project from day one," said Phyllis Trickett, GCCW member and shelter project organizer. "The GCCW appreciates everyone who has helped in any way to see the project's completion."

Persons who wish to support the shelter are welcome to send donations to the Shelter Project/Building Maintenance Fund, Community Action Committee, Inc., 104 East Center Street, Oakland, MD 21550.

Channel One Sample Video Now On Display

Prior to the Garrett County Board of Education taking action on a request by Southern High School to contract with Channel One Media broadcasts, sample videos from the company are available for public viewing. Those who wish to preview the programming that would be used as an educational resource can do so at the office of the board of education in Oakland or at Southern High School.

The package that Channel One provides includes the installation of television sets at a ratio of one per 23

students in exchange for showing a 12-minute video broadcast in the classrooms on 90 percent of the school days. Channel One video programs offer curriculum-related material, news and current events, and two to three minutes of advertising by the programming sponsors.

Anyone who wishes to view these program tapes may do so on week days between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. now through May 8 at the Board of Education Office or at Southern High School Library during school hours. The board of education will take action on this issue at the regular monthly meeting May 13.

Grant Sought For New Savage River Bridge

The Garrett County Commissioners this week agreed to support the pursuit of a Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) that will help fund the construction of a new bridge over Savage River. The bridge was taken out by the September 1996 flood and a temporary

crossing has been in place for several months.

Loring Young of the Community Action Committee, Inc., spoke with the commissioners Tuesday and explained that this grant, if received, will provide about 55 to 65 percent of the \$400,000 project. A prefabricated bridge will be bought along with decking for about \$200,000, and about \$181,000 will be spent by the Garrett County Roads Department for safety improvements. These improvements will include the elimination of the present 90-degree turns at each end of the bridge and a lengthening of the present span from 80 feet to 130.

When the new bridge is completed, the current temporary bridge can be removed and put into storage. It can be used again if needed.

Young noted that the Savage River Bridge is used by school buses and emergency vehicles in addition to regular traffic. There are more than 450 vehicles on the bridge each day, Young said.

The deadline for the grant application is April 30.



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FRIENDSVILLE NEWS

SAND SPRING CHURCH OF GOD

The Sand Spring Church of God Bazaar and Flea Market will be held on Saturday, May 3, from 8 a.m. until 3 p.m. at the fellowship hall. Baked goods and new and used items will be for sale. The event will be held rain or shine.

Tables are available for those who wish to take part. For information, persons may call 746-5340 or 746-5150.

GUEST SPEAKER

Pastor Glen Beatty of Latrobe, Pa., will be the guest speaker at the Sand Spring Church of God on Sunday, April 27, at 10:15 a.m.

The Red Cross Bloodmobile will be at the Laurel Run Church of God, White Rock Road, on Friday, May 2, from noon to 6 p.m.

METHODIST

The 16th annual Spiritual Retreat will be held Friday, April 25, and Saturday, April 26, at the Hickory Environmental Center, near Northern schools. Registration is at 6 p.m. The cost is \$15 for an overnight stay and two meals. The Friendsville Methodist charge will have refreshments on Friday evening. Holy Communion is set for Saturday at 5 p.m. Edith Friend is the leader.

The Friendsville United Methodist Women's annual covered dish Mother's Day dinner will be held Monday, May 5, at 5:30 p.m. at Friendsville United Methodist Church. Meat rolls and drink will be provided by the Friendsville UMW Women. The two UMW's of Selbyport and Blooming Rose churches and all women of the charge are invited. Bring a covered dish.

ASHER GLADE CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

On Sunday, April 27, at 2:30 p.m. the Asher Glade Brethren congregation is responsible for nursing home visitations of South Fayette, Markleysburg, Pa., and Henry Clay Villa, Rt. 40.

LUTHERAN

On Sunday, April 27, there will be a joint parish covered dish birthday fel-

lowship dinner at Grace Lutheran Church at 1:30 p.m. All members of the parish are invited to come to this birthday celebration. Grace Church will be providing the drinks and table setting.

BAPTIZED

Gabrielle Rose Daniels, infant daughter of Cynthia and Dean Daniels, McHenry, was baptized at Mercy Chapel, Mill Run, on Palm Sunday by Pastor Daymond Schmuck. Alice and Kenneth Sisler served as godparents. Many family members attended the service and all had dinner at the Daniels home afterwards. Ms. Helen Vitez, Mill Run, is a maternal grandmother.

CLEAN-UP DAY

There will be a clean-up day at Sand Spring Cemetery on Saturday, May 3. The annual meeting will be held at 10:30 a.m. at the Sand Spring fellowship hall.

WOW SERVICE

Woodmen of the World Lodge 45 presented a memorial service at the 16th annual convention, April 4, at Ramada Inn, Hagerstown. Those participating were Betty Frantz, drill team captain; Dorothy Lowdermilk, Julia Sines, Chuch Overton, Mary Frantz, Burton and Linda Lytle, Greg and Mary Ann Lytle, Cecil Kelly, Jennie Lytle, Rachel Diegert, and Thelma Kelly, pianist, to remember those who have passed on in the last two years from Maryland, Delaware, the District of Columbia, and New Jersey.

In WOW April 10 items Mary Frantz, secretary, regrets omitting the name of Cecil and Thelma Kelly from those attending the jurisdictional convention.

Chesapeake Fraternal Congress met at Kent Manor Inn, Kent Island, on April 11 and 12. Attending were Treasurer Burton Lytle and wife Linda, Greg and Edward Lytle, Chuck Overton, Pauline Faucett, Julia Sines, and Mary Frantz of Woodmen of the World and Lutheran Brotherhood.

WOW Lodge 45 met April 17 at Twila's Restau-



ART IS - Student definitions of art decorated the walls. Music, mime, dancing, signing, sculpture, poetry - artistic expression by Garrett County public school students filled auditorium, theater, gallery, hallway and classrooms of Garrett Community College on Saturday as the Students Art Fair resonated with life. With crowds estimated between 800 and 1000, the community support of the fine and performing arts surpassed the expectations of fair organizers. The day-long event provided entertainment as well as education for many who attended. Among the dozens of performances and demonstrations by hundreds of students were the Accident Elementary School dancers, above, and the Southern Middle School woodwind ensemble. The following are examples of some of the students' definitions of art. "Art is important because it stirs our creativity and ingenuity." "Art lets us use our imaginations and there is no limit." "Art helps one to understand himself: it allows the mind to go anywhere."



rant. Thirteen members were present and Julia Sines, president, conducted the meeting. Plans were made for cleaning garbage from highway on Thursday, May 15. Members of Ranger Unit 133 will help with this project and are asked to meet at Blooming Rose Church at 5 p.m. Bring a pair of gloves. Cecil and Thelma Kelly and Helen Holliday will furnish and prepare refreshments to be served at the town park. Dorothy Lowdermilk won the 50-50 drawing. This event will serve as the May meeting.

BIRTHDAY NOTED

The family of Ms. Amanda Lowdermilk honored her with a covered dish dinner on Sunday, April 20, for her 80th birthday at the Sand Spring fellowship hall. Her birthday was April 15. All eight of her children, their families, and many other

relatives and friends attended. Relatives attended from West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Ohio, Virginia and Maryland. She received many cards and gifts. Her granddaughter Rebecca Sines, on a business trip to San Antonio, Texas, called her on the phone that day to wish her "Happy Birthday."

MUSEUM DEDICATION
On Saturday April 26, at 3 p.m. there will be a dedication of a memorial plaque honoring Jessie McCullough at the Friend Family Museum. Everyone is welcome.

The Board of Trustees of the Friend Family Association will be meeting at Friendsville on Friday and Saturday at the library.

The Friend Museum and Library will open on Friday, May 2, at noon. It will be open each Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday from noon to 3 p.m. until Nov. 1. Call Ina Hicks, 746-5615, for more information.

RAMP DINNER

On Sunday, May 4, a Ramp Dinner will be held at the fire hall from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. It is sponsored by the Friendsville Volunteer Fire Company, the Rotarians, and Lions Club.

CLASS OF 51 TO MEET

The Class of 1951 of Friendsville High School will have dinner and a meeting at Lone Star Restaurant, Rt. 40, on Saturday, May 3, at 6 p.m.

HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Terry Friend entertained at a dinner on Sunday at his home in LaVale for his father, Amos (Bud) Friend, on his birthday. Guests were his wife, Bernadine Friend, daughter Sherry, Tonya and Bill Dixon, and Michael Herbolscheimer.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Barbara Miller, White Post, Va., and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fields, Pittsburgh, were visiting last week with Mrs. David Pryor, here, and with David Pryor at Goodwill Home, Grantsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Conn, Confluence, Pa., Mrs. Lowell Thomas and Kelly, and Heather and Jonathan Hook were Sunday dinner guests of Ms. Grace Hook. Mrs. Robyn Kisner, Elder Hill, was a Sunday afternoon visitor.

Mrs. Janice Fisher spent several days with her daughter Amy and Jim and Andrew, Ashburn, Va. On Wednesday, Amy accompanied her mother Janice and Andrew to Winchester, Va., where they met Lindy Fish-

weekend with her mother Sherry and grandparents, Bud and Bernadine Friend. Sherry accompanied her daughter to Mineral, Va., for a vacation.

Tammie Uphold met with Molly Deniker and Patrick, Denise Homberg and Heather, Accident, and Melanie Fisher and Marshall, Deep Creek Lake, for lunch at Peking House in Frostburg last Thursday afternoon.

ROTARY NEWS

The Friendsville Rotary Club held its regular meeting Monday evening at Twila's Old Mill in Friendsville.

President-elect Carol Calhoun gave a brief presentation summarizing the district's plans for the upcoming Rotary year.



New Arrivals

The births of four infants this week at Garrett County Memorial Hospital were announced this morning by a hospital spokesperson.

A daughter was born April 22 to Danny Cleveland and Mary Elizabeth Frazee Sager, Bruceton Mills, W.Va.

A daughter was born April 22 to Gino Marcelo and Lisa Anne Boykin Mauricci, McHenry.

A daughter was born April 23 to Lynford Ray and Lashell Ranae Orendorf Maust, Accident.

A daughter was born April 24 to John Wayne and Melissa Lynn Moats Moats, Aurora, W.Va.

Admissions were listed at 66 with 79 discharges. This morning's census shows 30 patients.

NHS After-Prom Committee Seeks Adult Volunteers

The Northern High School After-Prom Party Committee is seeking parents and teachers wishing to volunteer to work at the After-Prom Party May 17 from 11 p.m. to 6:30 a.m. For security purposes, only those people who are on the master list will be allowed to be at the After-Prom Party.

There is a maximum number of parents and teachers that can be accommodated. Those who wish to place their names on this list should call Rita Robinson at NHS (301-746-8668) or Sandi Flockhart at 301-387-2141. The last After-Prom Party Committee



"PLEASE TAKE ME HOME," says this white spayed female canine, part shepherd and part labrador, who is about 3 years old and has all of her shots. She is housebroken and loves children. She really would like to have a place to call her own, along with some loving humans, of course. She likes to play with other dogs, too. Those who might wish to give her a home should call 334-8525.

meeting will be held Tuesday, May 6, at 7 p.m. at the school.

All NHS juniors and seniors are reminded to get their pictures in as soon as possible for their video. All pictures must have the student's name and homeroom written on the back for return. No picture can be

larger than 4 x 6. This video is being made of the school years of the juniors and seniors. It will be shown during the After-Prom Party. Copies can be ordered for \$10 that night. All pictures must be turned in to homeroom teachers by Wednesday, April 30.

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I want to thank all my friends and co-workers for the cards, gifts, and well wishes given me on my retirement. Many thanks to those responsible for the two delicious dinners held in my honor. I was in awe at the last one, totally surprised and deeply touched. I will never forget the many memories and friends made at GCMH The hospital is my second home.

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And sink beside the way
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All the staff and employees at Garrett County Memorial Hospital, especially to the aides and nurses on second and third floors, who offered support to the family members and gave our mother gentle care, making her last five days on this earth as comfortable as possible.

Brad Stewart and the staff at Stewart Funeral Home, whose professionalism combined with compassion alleviate a lot of pain that can be involved in making final arrangements for a loved one.

Mike Robinson, officiating pastor, at St. Mark's Lutheran Church for his words of comfort and encouragement to the family of Ruby Piper. Also we wish to express our gratitude to those who assisted Ruby (while she was yet alive) in the church services by unselfishly taking the time to type the message so that she too could enjoy and be part of many occasions. She expressed her appreciation and love for her church family to us on many occasions. We know that our mother would like us to recognize all the clergy who took time from their busy schedules to honor her with their presence in the hospital and at the funeral. Rev. Robert H. Fletcher - Loch Lynn Church of God, Rev. Galen Hixon - Mt. Top Christian Assembly of God, Rev. David Kisamore - Underwood United Brethren Church, Rev. Michael Mudge - Crellin United Brethren, Rev. David Snodgrass - Crellin Assembly of God, Rev. Charles Teets - Hospital Chaplain, Branch President Jackson Hamrick - The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, and last but certainly not least Rev. Lawrence R. Shillingburg, an interpreter with a ministry to the deaf from the Maranatha Baptist Church in Romney, W. Va. Rev. Shillingburg signed for the funeral services.

The ladies of St. Mark's for showing their Christian love in a practical way by preparing and serving a delicious meal to family and friends after the funeral services on Thursday.

We are very fortunate to live in a community where love abounds. "Thank you," once again, to the vast number of friends and family who responded to the loss of our mother with your prayers, words of comfort, cards, flowers, food, and donations made in memory of our mother, Ruby E. Piper.

THE PIPER FAMILY



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News from Preston, Tucker, Grant and Mineral Counties.

Walk-A-Thon To Honor Memory Of James A. Gregg

The Terra Alta Public Library is sponsoring a Walk-A-Thon in memory of James A. Gregg.

The town lost a businessman, scholar, leader and most importantly a friend on November 9, 1996," a spokesperson for the walk-a-thon said.

Gregg had been a businessman in Terra Alta for over 35 years. He was a member of the Preston County Board of Education for 12 years and served six years as president. He was also a volunteer fireman and fire chief. He was named King Fireman for Preston County Buckwheat Festival in 1986.

A member of the Rotary Club and Loyal Order of Moose Lodge 1395, Gregg sponsored a little league girls' softball team for the Terra Alta Youth League.

He managed and supported the Terra Alta Dolphin football team, served on the Water Board of Terra Alta, and helped found the volunteer ambulance association.

Gregg was a member of St. Edward's Catholic Church and the West Virginia University School of Pharmacy Alumni Association.

All proceeds from the walk-a-thon will go to the James A. Gregg Memorial Scholarship Fund, which was set up by his wife, Mary Jo, to benefit Preston High School graduates who wish to continue their education in the medical field.

Letters have been mailed to businesses in Terra Alta requesting them to show their support by signing up 10 walkers and sponsoring one of those 10. The other walkers will get their own pledges and walk a five-mile course through Terra Alta on Saturday, May 10, beginning at 8:00 a.m.

Anyone wishing to participate may call 789-2724. The deadline for registration is Friday, May 2, 1997.

Spring Carnival Set At Union

Union Educational Complex will host its annual Spring Carnival May 2 from 6 to 8:30 p.m. The event, which is hosted with the PTO, features the elementary grade levels and is highlighted by the presentation of the Spring Carnival Court and the coronation of the Queen and King. The coronation will be at 7 p.m.

Union Complex is located along U.S. Rt. 50 just west of Mt. Storm. Raffle tickets for a breadmaker may be obtained from any elementary student. Various games, door prizes, and food will be available and the event is open to the public.

All proceeds from the carnival benefit the Union Elementary School.

Rice Completing Student Teaching

Myra Rice, daughter of Lee and Nancy Rice, Terra Alta, is completing her teaching experience requirements for graduation at West Virginia Wesleyan College and for state teacher certification.

"We have an excellent group of elementary and secondary student teachers in classrooms in Randolph, Upshur, and Lewis counties," said Tom Williams, chair of the education department. "They have the opportunity to undertake fifty full days of teaching and exercise classroom strategies learned in their four years of instruction at Wesleyan. We are pleased with the teaching skill they exhibit."

Rice, a 1993 graduate of Preston High School, is an elementary education major.

AURORA/EGLON NEWS

RAMP DINNER
An annual ramp dinner will be held Sunday, April 27, at the Aurora fire hall from noon until 4 p.m. The dinner features ramps, potatoes, and cornbread, along with other goodies and desserts. Donations for adults are \$5 and for children, \$3.50.

MAY DAY FELLOWSHIP
Church Women United will observe May Fellowship Day at the Bethel United Methodist Church, Horse Shoe Run, on Friday, May 2. A covered dish luncheon begins at noon with the host church providing the table service, bread, and beverage. "Growing Seeds in Prepared Soil" is this year's theme, which will be celebrated with the program beginning at 1 p.m. Everyone is urged to attend.

BIRTHDAY CARDS REQUESTED
Grace Harsh will observe her birthday on Sunday, April 27. The family is requesting that cards be sent her for the occasion. They may be addressed to her at: RR 1, Box 335, Eglogon, WV 26716.

Birthday cards and letters may also be sent to Mrs. Josephine Sell for her May 5 birthday. Address them to her c/o Dan Cassidy, 1522 Lynn Drive, Lancaster, OH 43134.

BIRTHDAYS CELEBRATED

Bessie Heckert and Lettie Bonner, both of Eglogon, were honored on Sunday, April 20, with a covered dish dinner at the Maple Spring Church of the Brethren. Mrs. Bonner observed her 90th birthday on January 16 and Mrs. Heckert's 90th birthday was February 5. Joining them for the occasion, in addition to members of the local church, were family and friends from a distance. The ladies were presented gifts and cards, and pictures of important people and events in their lives were displayed. Two decorated birthday cakes completed the party atmosphere.

Mrs. Bonner is the daughter of the late Martin Van Buren Pennington and Amelia (Wolford) Pennington and Gordon Bonner, who died in 1982. The couple had two sons, Dwight and Wayne, residing in Ohio, and one daughter,

Leora Teter Moon, who resides at Oakland. They moved from the Canaan Valley area to Eglogon in 1967. Mrs. Bonner has nine grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Heckert is a daughter of the late George and Talitha (Butcher) Bolyard and was reared on Lantz Ridge. Her husband, was the late Armand Heckert. She resides in Eglogon with her only daughter, Barbara Heckert.

HOMEMAKERS DISCUSS HEALTH

"Women and Heart Disease" was the study topic led by Opal Myers for the April 15 meeting of the Aurora Extension Homemakers held in the home of Martha Bolyard. Devotions were in the form of the club collect.

Mrs. Myers stressed the eight risk factors for heart disease: smoking, overweight, inactivity, high blood pressure, high fat diet, diabetes, and stress. An estimated 25 million women suffer from high blood pressure, another U.S. high risk factor, according to the lesson.

Plans are being made for July activities and Wilda Stemple had secured a list of Jennerstown Playhouse presentations. Rennie Conrad reported that there had been no response from the Aurora School concerning an inquiry about planting a tree and clean-up there. Membership chair Virginia Martin announced that a Members Night Out is planned in Kingwood on May 16 with admission to be a prospective member. On May 21, six members plan to attend the area meeting at Wheeling Park. The club will use "Angels" for their theme for items to be made for the Tannenbaum Festival to be held in November at Kingwood. Each is asked to bring an idea to the May meeting. The county is planning a trip to Greenbrier Resort and to Tamarack Crafts on June 12.

Kingwood is observing Heritage Days April 25-27. On May 17, a county-wide health fair is planned. The club is going to prepare an exhibit for the Buckwheat Festival this year.

The vice president's feature, by Rennie Conrad, were tips on dealing with stress: stop worrying, exercise, take control, ask for help, pace yourself, and escape. The special feature was an 1880-1881 department store catalog given to the hostess by Miss Jessie Trotter in which dresses were obtainable for \$25.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mary Jane Hanline, with Dean Sisler the program leader and Rennie Conrad the devotional leader. There were 13 members present.

EGLON HOMEMAKERS
Meeting April 15 in the home of Ruth Teets, the opening devotions for the Eglogon Homemakers were provided by the hostess using "Being a Good Listener" as the theme. Scripture was read from James 1:19.

Members adjourned to the kitchen, following the business session, where they constructed rice and herb pain soothers provided by Linda Lewis. These are cotton flannel bags, with ties, filled with rice and herbs which, when warmed in the microwave, provide soothing relief for aches and pains.

The group then returned to the topic of study, "Leadership Styles." Jean Winters was assisted by "Hard Hat" Ruth Teets telling how to use power to lead, and "Baseball Cap" Mary Rembold, who spoke of her work as an activator. "Party Hat" Marie Teets provided the cavalier attitude, "Kerchief" Avenell Parsons the martyr stance, and "Crown" Sandra Houser spoke of being an abdicator of responsibility.

Avenell Parsons showed her Udderly Smooth cream moisturizer, Jean Winters read a bit of levity, and the meeting adjourned.

MOUNTAINEERS MEET AT WILDLIFE PARK

Members of the Eglogon Mountaineer 4-H Club lent a helping hand to clean up the Farmer's Wildlife Park at Horse Shoe Run prior to their monthly meeting on April 14. Members cleaned up garbage, limbs, sticks, and leaves from the park grounds and pavilion and readied the grounds for

spring mowing.

Mountaineers decided again to pick up trash from the roadsides this year. To reach as many as possible, each member is asked to pick trash along his/her road. Aluminum cans will be saved and recycled.

Tentative plans were made by several members for upcoming judging events. Those planning to participate in wildlife judging are Adam Bachtel, Mark Bachtel, Maria Harsh, Joshua Mullenax, Craig Rembold, Shawn Rembold, and Lindsey Teets. Planning to participate in horticulture judging are Ashley Bachtel, Matthew Bachtel, Tim Harsh, Joshua Mullenax, Sarah Snyder, and Melinda Teets. Grant Harsh plans to compete in forestry judging.

During the meeting, Tom Teets reported on 4-H resume interviews held March 14 and 15 in which he was named a state winner and will be able to attend the Regional 4-H Club Congress to be held in Memphis, Tenn. Kari Harsh reported on the "Hooked on Fishing, Not on Drugs" program, which she had attended March 15. The IFYE (International Foreign Youth Exchange) program was held March

19 at East Preston Junior High and Matthew Bachtel, Tim Harsh, Sara Lewis, and Sarah Snyder, along with adult leaders, Elaine Roth, Linda Snyder, and Linda Lewis, attended as reported by Matt Bachtel.

Grant Harsh showed "How to Make a Paper Airplane." "Parts of a Light Bulb" were pointed out by Adam Bachtel. Dana Feather showed "Parts of a Cow's Digestive System." Ashley Bachtel showed "How to Tie a Halter" and told about "The Different Kinds of Wood." Christopher Mullenax showed "How to Assemble a Rocket for Flight" and told "How to Select a Rocket."

Mark Bachtel stressed "How Much Sugar an American Eats Each Year" and "How Much Sugar Some Foods Contain." "Wool from Ewe to Me" was the title of Josh Mullenax's demonstration and he told "How to Attract Birds to Your Back Yard." Lindsey Teets showed "How to Give a Cow a Shot" and Tracy Teets showed "How to Address an Envelope." Sara Lewis titled her talk "Dandelions," and Matthew Bachtel told "How to Choose Strawberry Plants." "Breeds of Beef Cattle" was the subject Maria Harsh

addressed, while Melinda Teets showed "How to Separate an Egg."

MAPLE SPRING ACTIVITIES

Youth from Maple Spring Church of the Brethren and from Brookside Church of the Brethren were among youth from many districts who gathered April 19-20 at Bridgewater College, Bridgewater, Va., for the inter-district Roundtable. Attending from Maple Spring were Daniel and Amanda Spaid, David Hammel, Tom Teets, and Rebecca Michaels, and Jessica Shaffer from Brookside. Adults accompanying the group were Ronnie Spaid and Peggy Spaid.

On Sunday, April 20, choirs from the West Marva District Church of the Brethren gathered at the Shady Grove Church of the Brethren near Brandonville for their annual hymn sing.

PERSONAL MENTION

Kathy Hardesty returned last Friday to her home after undergoing surgery at Garrett County Memorial Hospital. Her brother David and his wife Cathy, of Frametown, stayed with Kathy's mother, Beulah Hardesty, last week and David has returned home, but Cathy remained for a

longer stay at their Mtn. Top home. Avenell Parsons of Eglogon underwent eye surgery on April 21, at Morgantown. She was accompanied by her husband, Ron Parsons, and daughters Sandra Hauser and Mary Rembold.

The Rev. Charles Teets of Gortner was hospitalized last week at Garrett Memorial Hospital because of an aneurism.

Ruth Ann Peterson is reportedly improving after undergoing further surgery on Friday of last week at Memorial Hospital, Cumberland.

Weekend visitors with Jerry, Barbara, and Devin Hauser in Cash Valley were Harold "Jake" Ogden and his wife Helen of Canton, N.C.

Josephine Lambert fell at her home near Aurora last week and is sporting a broken nose as a result of the accident.

Dwight and Vallie Bonner of Chardon, Ohio, and Wayne and Mona Bonner of Akron, Ohio, were among the guests this week-end visiting with Lettie Bonner.

Harold Harsh has returned from Garrett Memorial Hospital to his home on Stemple Ridge.

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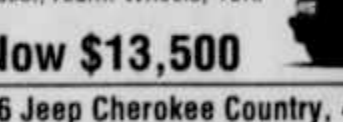


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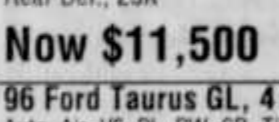
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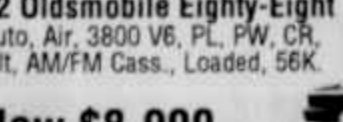
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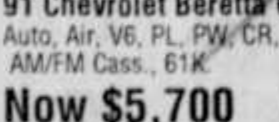
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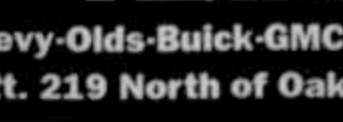
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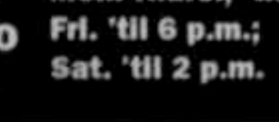
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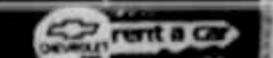
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BODEN, Lucile F., 95, Cumberland.
BRANT, John H., 83, Swanton.
BROADWATER, Don L. Sr., 67, Frostburg.
GARLITZ, Harry E., 43, Somerset, Pa.
HARDESTY, Clarence E., 66, Germantown, formerly of Deer Park.
HAUGER, Vera B., 81, Oakland.
HOOVER, Robert R., 68, Reno, Nev.
JENKINS, Robert S., 71, Grantsville.
LEWIS, Rev. Joseph A., 82, Conneaut Lake, Pa.
LILLER, Dorothy L., 76, Waverly, Ohio.
MARTIN, Lewis V., 73, Star City, W.Va.
MOOMAU, Eleanor C., 88, Petersburg, W.Va.
TRANUM, Stephen P., 50, Oakland.

DOROTHY L. LILLER

Dorothy Louise Liller, 76, Waverly, Ohio, died Wednesday, April 23, 1997, at the Grant Medical Center in Columbus, Ohio.

Born Oct. 14, 1920, in Latrobe, Pa., she was a daughter of the late Harry and Mary (Murphy) Kiser. She was also preceded in death by her first husband, Arthur H. Moreland; two daughters, Shirley Moreland and Dorothy Moreland; and one brother, Lewis Kiser.

She was a retired motel operator. She was a member of Franklin Township Fire and Rescue from 1980-96, and attended the Alma United Methodist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Irvin Liller, whom she married Oct. 12, 1961; two daughters, Delores Darst and Lisa Howard, both of Waverly; three stepsons, Delbert Liller and Larry Liller, both of Oakland, and Douglas Liller, Gelett, Wyo.; one stepdaughter, Carolyn Riley, Oakland; one sister, Betty Friend, Hagerstown; three grandchildren; 12 step-grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and several step-great-grandchildren.

Friends will be received at the Boyer Funeral Home, Waverly, from 4-8 p.m. on Friday, and from 9 a.m. until 10:30 a.m., time of the service, on Saturday, April 26, with the Rev. John



NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER IS PROCLAIMED - The Garrett County Commissioners signed a proclamation Tuesday to join with the county to declare May 1 as the National Day of Prayer. Millions of Americans of all faiths are expected to gather together across the nation at town squares, stadiums, churches, synagogues, and other public places to observe this 46th consecutive Day of Prayer. This year's theme is "In God We Trust," based on the Bible verse of Psalm 20:7: "Some trust in chariots and some in horses, but we trust in the name of the Lord our God." An army of approximately 40,000 volunteers have worked for a year to organize community-wide observances, according to a spokesperson for the event. The National Day of Prayer was established in 1952 under President Harry Truman and amended in 1988 by President Ronald Reagan, specifically designating the first Thursday in May as the official annual observance. President Bill Clinton, the governors of all 50 states, Puerto Rico, and several U.S. territories are expected to sign proclamations similar to the one signed by the local commissioner board. President Clinton stated in his 1996 Prayer Day proclamation that "the country faces many of the same challenges as our forebears -- ensuring the survival of freedom and sustaining faith in an often hostile world -- and we continue to pray, as they did, for the blessings of a just and benevolent God to guide our nation's course." The Mountaintop Ministerial Association will sponsor a local observance at noon on May 1 in the Garrett County Courthouse rotunda. The public is welcome to attend. Pictured at the commissioners' office at the proclamation signing are, left to right, Commissioner Roger Wilt, Pastor James R. Mou, Teresa Domenick (local coordinator), Pastor William C. Skipper, and Commissioners Wayne Wilt and John Braskey.

Hocker officiating. Interment will follow in Omega Cemetery.

The family suggests memorials be directed to the Franklin Township Fire and Rescue.

CLARENCE E. HARDESTY

Clarence Easton Hardesty, 66, Germantown, formerly of Deer Park, died Friday, April 4, 1997, at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Washington, D.C.

Born Oct. 1, 1930, in Deer Park, he was a son of the late Henry Harrison and Anna Grace (Uphole) Hardesty.

He was a retired heavy equipment operator. He was a veteran of the Korean Conflict; a life member of VFW Post 2562, Wheaton, where he served as senior vice commander and junior vice commander; a member of American Legion Post 268, Wheaton; and a member of Moose Lodge 453, College Park.

Survivors include five

brothers, William Henry Hardesty and Joseph Hardesty, both of Kitzmiller, Paul Sherman Hardesty, Rockville, Noah Dale Hardesty, Oakland, and Harold Clement Hardesty, address unknown; three sisters, Edna May Faltstick, Oakland, Nellie Grace Hutton, Umatilla, Fla., and Julia Lottie Breneman, Bittering; and a longtime friend, Lucy McDowell.

Mr. Hardesty's body was donated to medical science. A memorial service will be conducted at a later date.

The family requests that memorials take the form of contributions to the Hospice of Garrett County, Inc., P.O. Box 271, Oakland, MD 21550.

LUCILE F. BODEN

Lucile F. "Polly" Boden, 95, Cumberland, died Tuesday, April 15, 1997, at the Allegany County Nursing Home.

Born April 21, 1901, in Cumberland, she was a daughter of the late Robert L. and Effie M. (Wickard) Frantz. She was also preceded in death by her husband, Joseph Edward Boden, a former clerk of the Circuit Court for Allegany County, on July 10, 1978.

Mrs. Boden was the founder and retired manager of the CCSAC Federal Credit Union. She continued to serve on the supervisory committee for many years. She was a member of Centre Street United Methodist Church, a member of its Sarah Circle, and was a charter member of the church's United Methodist Women. She was a registered nurse. She graduated from Walter Reed General Hospital, Washington, D.C., in 1927. She worked as a registered nurse in Washington, D.C., Baltimore, and Cumberland at the Western Maryland Hospital, Sacred Heart Hospital, and Memorial Hospital. She also was a registered nurse with the American Red Cross Blood Bank.

Survivors include two daughters, Joann B. Shaffer, Oakland, and Sandra B. Haus, Cumberland; one sister, Phyllis F. Orr, Golfport, Miss.; nine grandchildren; and 20 great-grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Kight Funeral Home,

Cumberland, where a service was conducted Thursday, April 17, with the Rev. Lloyd B. McCanna officiating. Interment was in Hillcrest Memorial Park.

The family requests that donations take the form of contributions to the Centre Street United Methodist Church or the Transportation Fund for Shrine Children's Hospitals, c/o Ali Ghan Shrine Temple, P.O. Box 1416, Cumberland, MD 21501.

LEWIS V. MARTIN

Lewis V. Martin, 73, Star City, W.Va., died Tuesday, April 22, 1997, at the home of his son.

He was born May 1, 1923, in Star City, a son of the late Warren and Grace (Higgins) Martin.

He was employed for four years with the accounting firm of Tanner and Tanner in Morgantown and worked for 26 years as an employee and later a partner in the accounting firm of Tetrick Bartlett & Company in Clarksburg, W.Va. He held WV CPA certificate #239 and was a member of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants and the West Virginia State Society of CPAs. He also worked for 12 years on the B&O Railroad as an agent in various towns in West Virginia and southwestern Pennsylvania. He was a veteran of World War II, having served with the Fifth Army Air Force in the Pacific Theater. He earned the Air Medal, Good Conduct Medal, Philippines Victory Medal, the World War II Victory Medal, and the Asiatic-Pacific Service Medal, with four Bronze Stars. He was stationed in New Guinea, the Dutch Indies, the Philippines, Okinawa, Ieshima, Iwo Jima, and served in the Army of Occupation in Japan.

Survivors include his wife, Dorothy Jane Martin, whom he married Nov. 21, 1950; three sons, William Warren Lewis Martin, John Timothy Francis Martin, and Patrick Allison Maxwell Martin, all of Fairmont, W.Va.; one daughter, Patricia Ann Martin Scalise, Bridgeport, W.Va.; three brothers, Richard W. Martin, Star City, Allison W. Martin, Seattle, Wash., and

Maxwell Forrest Martin, Perrysburg, Ohio; one sister, Maxine M. Hildebrand, Star City; one grandson; and one step-grandson.

Friends will be received at Dering's Funeral Home, Morgantown, from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. today, Thursday. A service will be conducted at the funeral home on Friday, April 25, at 2 p.m. with the Rev. Richard Keener officiating. Interment will be in Beverly Hills Memorial Gardens.

JOHN H. BRANT

John H. Brant, 83, Swanton, died Friday, April 18, 1997, at his home.

Born April 15, 1914, in Meyersdale, Pa., he was the son of the late Delphia T. and Agnes M. (Ohler) Brant.

He was a retired stone mason and carpenter.

Survivors include his wife, Cecelia M. (Friend) Brant; one daughter, Shirley Wilburn, Swanton; two sons, John B. Brant, Deer River, Conn., and Morris E. Brant, Racine, Wisc.; one sister, Cora M. Friend, Swanton; seven grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Stewart Funeral Home, Oakland, where a service was conducted Sunday, April 20, with the Rev. Glen Dumire and the Rev. Dwayne Frederick officiating. Interment followed in the Thayerville Cemetery.

ELEANORE C. MOOMAU

Eleanore (Crippen) Moomau, 88, Petersburg, W.Va., died Sunday, April 20, 1997, at the Grant County (W.Va.) Nursing Home.

Born Feb. 5, 1909, at Roaring Branch, Pa., she was the daughter of the late Amos and Pearl (King) Crippen. She was also preceded in death by her husband, William T. Moomau, on Feb. 9, 1980.

She attended Shenandoah College and the Conservatory of Music in Winchester, Va. She graduated from Rochester General Hospital School of Nursing, and completed her post graduate work at the Manhattan Eye and Ear Hospital in New York City. She was the Grant County director of the Department of Health and Human Resources for 24 years. She was a charter member of the Petersburg Business and Professional Women's Club and the Petersburg Garden Club. She was also a charter member of the Valley View Golf Course, a member of the South Branch Valley Daughters of the American Revolution, and a



EARTH DAY IN ACCIDENT - Students at Accident Elementary enjoyed the pleasant sunny weather on Earth Day, Tuesday, while planting trees. Actually, the planting was done by George Nordeck, Accident IGA manager, who donated one tree. Another was donated by Garrett's Eden. Nordeck is seen here patting down the dirt around the flowering plum tree he has just planted.

past matron and 50-year member of the Moorefield (W.Va.) Order of the Eastern Star (OES), Chapter 102. She was an ordained elder of the Petersburg Presbyterian Church.

Survivors include one brother, William Crippen, Holiday, Fla.; two foster children, Janet Barr, Petersburg, and Melvin Cullers, Aurora, W.Va.; and four foster grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Schaeffer Funeral Home, Petersburg. A funeral service was conducted Wednesday, April 23, at the Petersburg Presbyterian Church, with the Rev. Donald G. Scofield and the Rev. Ray Rodheaver officiating. Interment was in Maple Hill Cemetery, Petersburg.

The Moorefield OES conducted a service Tuesday evening at the funeral home.

The family suggests that memorials take the form of

contributions to the Petersburg Presbyterian Church, or a charity of the donor's choice.

HARRY E. GARLITZ

Harry Edward Garlitz, 43, Somerset, Pa., died Thursday, April 17, 1997, at Somerset Hospital.

Born Feb. 23, 1954, in Meyersdale, Pa., he was the son of Mildred (Miller) Garlitz, Somerset, and the late Herbert Garlitz. He was also preceded in death by his sister, Diane (Garlitz) Hauger.

He had been employed

as a factory worker with Flushing Shirt Co., Grantsville, and Fibred, Inc., Cumberland.

In addition to his mother he is survived by three daughters, Kathleen Garlitz, Sarah Garlitz, and Bethany Garlitz, all of Lonaconing.

Friends were received at the Newman Funeral Home, Grantsville. A prayer service was conducted Saturday, April 19, at the funeral home, with the Rev. Paul Byrnes officiating. Interment was in St. Ann's Cemetery, Avilton.

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CAPTURE FIRST PLACE - This dance team of Emily Downton, left, and Amber Welmer recently captured first place in their division in the Talent Express Dance Competition, held in Ocean City. They competed against dance teams from all over Maryland. Amber is the daughter of Mike and Cindy Downton, all of the Grantsville area. The girls, who are both seventh grade students at Northern Middle School, take instruction at the Frostburg Dance Academy.

OBITUARIES

VERL W. BAKER SR.

Verl W. Baker Sr., 75, Oakland, died Tuesday, April 22, 1997, at Garrett County Memorial Hospital, Oakland.

Born July 8, 1921, in Oakland, he was a son of the late John E. and Rachel (Tasker) Baker. He was also preceded in death by his wife, Geraldine E. (Stewart) Baker, in 1990.

He was a retired truck driver, A.U.S. Navy veteran of World War II, he was a member of Proctor Kidlow Post 71, American Legion, Oakland.

Survivors include three daughters, Gloria Holschneider, Niles, Ohio, Connie Humberson, McHenry, and Pam Shaffer, Oakland; three sons, Verl W. Baker Jr. and Michael Baker, both of Oakland, and Dennis Baker, Terra Alta, W.Va.; one brother, Woodrow Baker, Sarasota, Fla.; six half-sisters, Norma Harper and Linda Belasco, both of Cumberland, Barbara Myers and Georgianna Sines, both of Oakland, and Janet Foglepole and Patricia Crouse; four half-brothers, Wayne Baker and Ronald Baker, both of Ohio, and Richard Baker, both of Oakland; 17 grandchildren; and 21 great-grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Stewart Funeral Home, Oakland, where a service was conducted earlier today, April 24, with the Rev. Joe Ward officiating. Interment was in Garrett County Memorial Gardens, Oakland.

STEPHEN P. TRANUM
Stephen P. Tranum, 50, Oakland, died Monday, April 21, 1997, at Garrett County Memorial Hospital, Oakland.

Born Sept. 28, 1946, in Westernport, he was a son of the late Thomas Tranum and Juanita (Miller) Tranum, both of Westernport, and the late Margaret Ivalee (Montgomery) Tranum.

He was a retired electrical supervisor at the University of Maryland at College Park. He was a member of the U.S. Army National Guard; Oakland.

American Legion Post 71; and a graduate of St. Peter's High School, Westernport. He was Catholic by faith.

Survivors include his former wife, Carolyn Barnard, Deep Creek Lake; one son, Stephen Tranum, Lake Tahoe, Calif.; one daughter, Wendy Jones, Thurmont; one brother, Thomas Tranum, Keyser, W.Va.; one sister, Peggy Barclay, Lonaconing; and one grandson.

Friends were received at the Boal Funeral Home, Westernport, where a service was conducted at 1 p.m. today, April 24. Interment was in the Philos Cemetery, Westernport, where full military honors were accorded at the graveside.

VERA B. HAUGER

Vera B. Hauger, 81, Oakland, died Friday, April 18, 1997, at the Cuppett-Weeks Nursing Home, Oakland.

Born April 7, 1916, in Terra Alta, W.Va., she was preceded in death by her husband, John A. Hauger, in 1985.

She was a member of the Corinth Pentecostal Holiness Church and attended the Mtn. Top Christian Assembly of God Church.

She is survived by one daughter, Shirley H. McNair, Oakland; two grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Stewart Funeral Home, Oakland. A service was conducted at the Corinth Pentecostal Holiness Church on Tuesday, April 22, with the Rev. Galen Hixon officiating. Interment was in the Terra Alta Cemetery.

DON L.

BROADWATER SR.
Don Luke Broadwater Sr., 67, Frostburg, died Thursday, April 17, 1997, at Sacred Heart Hospital, Cumberland.

Born Sept. 14, 1929, in Cumberland, he was a son of the late Raymond and Laura (Stephens) Broadwater.

He was a heavy equipment operator with Local 37, Operating Engineers, and a Methodist by faith. A U.S. Marine Corps veteran of the Korean Conflict, he was also a 34-year member of Farrady Post, American Legion, Frostburg, and the Mount Savage (W.Va.) VFW Post.

Survivors include his wife, Helen Virginia (Richards) Broadwater; two sons, Don Luke Broadwater, Frostburg, and Robert Raymond Broadwater, Mount Savage; two daughters, Carol Ann Wratford.

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Cumberland, and Alana Jean Hamilton, Frostburg; one brother, Wayne Broadwater, Manassas, Va.; four sisters, Melva Isella, Street, Rella Albright, Cumberland, and Evelyn Ringer and Norma Petenbrink, both of Salisbury, Pa.; four grandchildren; one step-granddaughter; one great-grandson; and one step-great-grandson.

Friends were received at the Newman Funeral Home, Grantsville, where a service was conducted Sunday, April 20, with the Rev. Garry Kipe officiating. Interment followed in the New Germany Methodist Cemetery.

Expressions of sympathy may be directed to the American Cancer Society.

REV. JOSEPH A. LEWIS

The Rev. Joseph Arthur Lewis, 82, Conneaut Lake, Pa., died Thursday, April 17, 1997, at the Westbury United Methodist Home, Meadville, Pa.

Born Nov. 24, 1914, in Grantsville, he was the son of the late Anthony and Nancy (Walls) Lewis. He was also preceded in death by one son, Robert Lewis.

Rev. Lewis was a retired ordained Church of the Brethren minister, having served a number of churches in Maryland, Pennsylvania, and West Virginia.

Survivors include his wife, Ruth (Nottingham) Lewis; three sons, Harry Lewis, Bruceton Mills, W.Va., Glenn Lewis, Clearbrook, Va., and Dale Lewis, Martinsburg, W.Va.; one daughter, Ruth Byus, Baltimore; three sisters, Rosie Miller and Nellie Yommer, both of Grantsville, and Edna Colless, Confluence, Pa.; and eight grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Newman Funeral Home, Grantsville, where a service was conducted Sunday, April 20, with the Rev. Connell Chaney officiating. Interment followed in the Grantsville Cemetery.

ROBERT R. HOOVER

Robert Ray Hoover, 68, Sparks, Nev., died Tuesday, April 22, 1997, at the Washoe Medical Center in Reno, Nev.

He was born March 1, 1929, in Grantsville, a son of the late Harry C. and Olive D. (Yommer) Hoover.

He had been a resident of Sparks for the past 38 years. He was retired as a senior engineer from Nevada Bell in 1989 after 23 and one-half years of service. A U.S. Army veteran of the Korean Conflict, he was awarded the Combat Infantry Badge, Korean Service Medal with two battle stars, and the Good Conduct Medal. He was a member of the Duby Reid Post 30 American Legion. He retired after 30 years as a member and volunteer with the Nevada Wing of the Civil Air Patrol. He was an amateur radio operator for 39 years and used the call sign of "K7KLT." He was a member of the Lord of Mercy Lutheran Church in

the late Ralph and Anna (Stephen) Jenkins.

He was employed as a blacktop plant foreman for Browning's Quarry. He was a member of Trinity United Church of Christ, where he served as a deacon and elder, and was a member of the Consistory.

Survivors include his wife, Leota G. (Witt) Jenkins; two sons, Thomas D. Jenkins, Grantsville, and Ralph W. Jenkins, Lonaconing; one daughter, Nancy L. Pugh, Waco, Texas; one brother, Ray Jenkins, Grantsville; two sisters, Aley Housel, Potomac Park, and Lula Smith, Winchester, Va.; three grandchildren; four step-grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and

five step-great-grandchildren.

Friends will be received at the Newman Funeral Home, Grantsville, from 7-9 p.m. today, Thursday, and from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. on Friday. A service will be conducted at the Trinity United Church of Christ on Saturday, April 25, at 2 p.m. with the Rev. Raymond Brown officiating. Interment will be in the Trinity Church Cemetery.

The body will be taken to the church one hour prior to the service.

Expressions of sympathy may be directed to either Trinity United Church of Christ, or Northern Garrett County Rescue Squad.

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Rams Run By Huskies To Claim County Championships

The Garrett County Track and Field Championships were held Tuesday evening at Northern High School, and both the boys' and girls' teams of Southern High School emerged as the team victors. The Southern girls coasted to a 103-34 victory, while the Southern boys won by a 74-54 margin.

Leading the Southern girls were: Lauren Newcomb, who won the 1,600-meter run and the triple jump, and was also on the winning 800 and 1,600 relay teams; Amy Snyder, who won the 400 dash and was on the winning 1,600 and 3,200 relay teams; Kerri Cannon, who won the discus and the shot put; Erin Hoalcraft, who won the 3,200 run and was on the 1,600 and 3,200 relay teams; Kaitlyn McBee, who won the 800 run and was on the 3,200 and 1,600 relay teams; Christy Hoalcraft, who won the 300 hurdles and was on the 800 relay team; Alison Rudy, who was on the 800

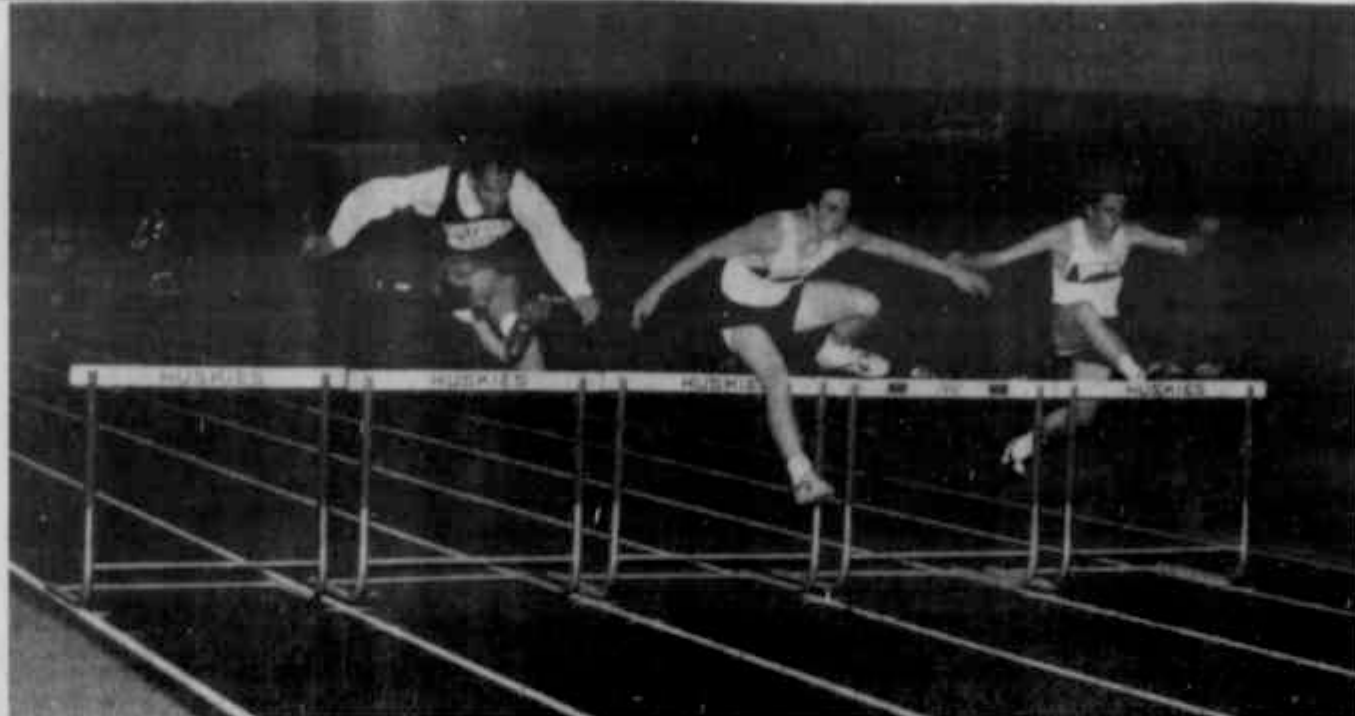
and 400 relay teams; Jodi Bowser, who won the 100 hurdles; and Toni Sullivan, who won the long jump.

Leading the Huskies were: Margaurite Murray, who won the 100 and 200 dashes before injuring a hamstring muscle in a relay; and Jane Williamson, who won the high jump.

Pacing the Southern boys' team were: Jared Beckman, who had four first places on the evening in winning the high jump, triple jump, long jump, and as a member of the winning 800 relay team; Dan Sincell, who won the 3,200 run; Matt Sincell, who won the 300 hurdles; and Nathan Rickman, who won the 400 dash.

The Northern boys were led by: Nate Kauffman, who won the 100 and 200 dashes and was on the winning 400 relay team; Tim Tusing, who won the 800 run and was on the winning 3,200 and 1,600 relay teams; Tom Tusing, who was on the 3,200 and 1,600 relay teams; Jeremy McKenzie, who won the 110 hurdles; and Chris Kohler, who won the discus.

The Huskies are slated to compete today at home against Frankfort, Keyser, University, and Morgantown. Both the Rams and Huskies will compete next Tuesday in the Area Meet, which will be hosted by Beall and is slated to get underway at 5 p.m.



RAMS TOP HUSKIES IN COUNTY T&F - The Northern Huskies hosted the 1997 Garrett County Track and Field Championships Tuesday evening, but their rivals, the Southern Rams, took home the first-place team trophies from the event in both the boys' and girls' competition. Above, Southern senior Matt Sincell, center, leaps his way to a first place in the 300 hurdles with a personal best time (45.62 seconds). At left is Northern's Jeremy McKenzie, who finished third, and at right is Adam Chorpennig of Southern, who placed second. Below left, Northern's Tim Tusing edges out Southern's Brian Park on the final leg of the 1,600-meter relay. Below right, Southern's Liz Paesani hands the baton to Alison Rudy en route to a win in the 800-meter relay. Southern's Jared Beckman led the field with victories in the high jump, long jump, triple jump, and as a member of the winning 800 relay team.



Huskies Top Panthers, Aggies Before Being Edged By Beall

The varsity baseball team of Northern High School won two of three games this past week to up its season mark to 7-7 overall and 2-5 in the Western Maryland Interscholastic League. The Huskies edged visiting Hancock on Saturday, 3-2, pummeled host Flintstone on Monday, 16-4, and were edged by Beall on Tuesday, 7-6, in Frostburg.

'Matt Fritz' recorded a four-hitter in going the distance against Hancock, as he struck out 11 and walked only one in the process.

An RBI single by Cody Breuneman gave the Huskies a 1-0 lead in the bottom of the second inning. Then in the third frame, Herman Arndt snatched a solo home run and Zach Rawe, who reached on an error and advanced to second on a passed ball, came home on a single by Scott Sisler to score what would be the winning run.

A single by Todd Murray in the fourth brought home the Panthers' only two runs of the day.

Arndt had a single to go with his home run and Sisler finished with two singles, as the Huskies recorded seven hits against Hancock's Jason Hoffman and Danny

Shirley.

Monday's game against Flintstone was called after six innings because of the 10-run rule, with Arndt having an outstanding day at the plate for the Huskies and Scott Sisler going the distance on the mound to earn the win.

Arndt went five-for-five with three doubles and four runs scored, while teammates Zach Leverenz rapped a triple and a single, and Matt Fritz, Chris Herman, and Rawe each contributed two singles in the 16-hit team performance.

Sisler allowed only six Aggie hits, with losing pitcher Bruce Shreve getting two of them. It was the fifth loss in 11 games for the Aggies.

The Husky bats were kept much quieter on Tuesday by Beall's Shawn Opel, who went the distance for the Mountaineers and limited Northern to five hits.

The Huskies went into the top of the final inning down 7-4 and rallied for a pair of runs, but could get no more.

Opel aided his own cause with two singles and an RBI. Todd McBratney drove home three runs with a homer and a double, and D.J. Jeffries added a pair of singles. Jeremy Reed took the loss on the mound for Northern.

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Rams Halted By Trojans, Come Back To Rip Alco

After winning five games in a row, the streak of the Southern High School varsity baseball team was abruptly halted Saturday when the listless Rams were upset by host Hampshire, 10-2.

However, the Rams came back with a vengeance yesterday and blasted visiting Allegany, 18-8.

Hampshire's Leslie Jessie limited the Rams to just four hits on Saturday afternoon while striking out six and walking three.

The Trojans (3-6) finished with 11 hits, including a solo home run in the first inning by Kevin Stein. Travis Digruotolo hit a three-run double in the bottom of the second inning and also had a pair of singles, while Matt Snyder also had a double and two singles for two RBIs. Joe Davis hit two doubles.

Two of the Rams' hits, both singles, were by Derek Everd.

In yesterday's rout of Allegany, the Rams' bats hammered out a total of 17 hits and the game was called after five innings because of the 10-run rule.

Joe Uphold went four-for-four for the Rams with a home run and three singles for four RBIs, while Mike Bittinger homered and singled for three RBIs. Southern 100 001 0-2 4 3

Hampshire 240 400 x-10 11 3
Derek Everd, Joel Uphold (3) and Chris Bittinger; Leslie Jessie and Brian Lewis.
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and Chad Warnick also homered.

Others getting multiple hits for Southern were Derek Everd, who doubled twice and singled, and Jason Weaver, who finished with a double and two singles.

The Campers were limited to just four hits by Warnick and reliever Jordan Uphold, but also drew eight walks to help them score their eight runs. Jason Simmons and Mike Thomas each had run-producing doubles.

The loss dropped the Campers to 8-7. Southern (6-3) had games with Northern and Keyser postponed this week because of bad weather. They are scheduled to travel to Mt. Savage Saturday for a 1 p.m. game, host Beall on Monday and entertain Westmar next Wednesday.

Allegany 400 31-8 4 3
Southern 094 5x-18 17 3
Brian Powell, Jimmy Walton (3), Mike Thomas (4) and Robert Moore; Chad Warnick, Jordan Uphold (4) and Chris Bittinger.
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Local Team Wins Youth Tourney In Petersburg

A youth basketball team sponsored by Mt. Top Paving, Inc., of Oakland captured first place in the Petersburg High School Athletic Boosters Invitational Basketball Tournament, played the weekend of April 11-13. The local team, coached by Mike Stephens and Carl Fike, edged Petersburg, 45-42, in the semi-final game and then topped Union, 28-15, in the title contest.

In the first quarter against Petersburg, the Oakland team jumped out to a 13-0 lead, with Justin Stephens and Jared Fike hitting four points each from inside and Mike Stephens nailing a three-point

Petersburg came back in the second quarter with effective long-range shooting to cut Oakland's lead to 25-19 by halftime. Twelve of Petersburg's points were recorded on three-point buckets.

The Garrett County team maintained a six-to-eight point lead until late in the fourth quarter when Petersburg rallied with a couple of quick steals and baskets. The local players also helped their opponents by committing three turnovers in the final minute of play. With the score tied, Keith Steyer hit a key bucket to put Garrett County up by two. A technical foul on the Petersburg bench sent Michael Saturday to the line, from which he hit both shots. A buzzer shot by Petersburg bounded off the



LOCAL HOOPSTERS WIN TOURNEY - A youth basketball team sponsored by Mt. Top Paving, Oakland, recently captured first place in the Petersburg High School Athletic Boosters Invitational Basketball Tournament. The local team defeated Petersburg and Union to win the title. Pictured from left above, seated, are: Matt Stephens, Keith Steyer, Ryan Ewing, and Michael Saturday. Standing, same order, are: Coach Carl Fike, Jared Fike, Justin Stephens, Jason Rohrbaugh, and Coach Mike Stephens. See story for details.

rim. Mt. Top Paving won the game at the foul line, where they made good on 14 of 20 opportunities. Fike led the team in scoring with 12 points, while Justin Stephens was right behind with 11. Saturday netted nine, and Jason Rohrbaugh finished with seven.

The title game against Union was almost all defense, as Mt. Top led by a 5-0 score at the end of the first quarter. Justin Stephens scored all six of the local team's points in the second period to give the Mt. Top an 11-6 halftime

advantage.

After utilizing an effective 2-3 zone defense in the first half, Union switched to a man-to-man formation in the third quarter, and inside players Fike and Stephens took advantage of the change by scoring eight quick points. Jason Rohrbaugh netted four points in the final quarter off assists by Fike and 12-year-old Matthew Stephens played well defensively off the bench in the second half.

"Defense was the key to this win," stated Coach Stephens. "If you can hold your opponents to just 15 points, you are going to win the game."

Justin Stephens led the Oakland team in scoring with 15 points. Fike and Rohrbaugh added six and four, respectively.

Justin Stephens, Fike, and Rohrbaugh were named to the All-Tournament team. In post-tournament competition, the local team also won the three-point shooting contest by hitting 41.7 percent as a team. Saturday led the team by hitting five of six shots and Steyer netted three of three.

Rohrbaugh placed fourth

in the Host Shot contest and the team won the foul shooting contest over Union, 12-9.

Southern Girls Drop 17-11 Game To Sentinels

The girls' softball team of Southern High School dropped a 17-11 contest to visiting Fort Hill Tuesday, a loss that dropped the Rams below .500 (5-6) overall and to 3-5 in the Western Maryland Interscholastic League standings.

The Rams out-hit the Sentinels by a 10-8 margin, but committed five errors to aid the visitors on to victory. There was also a total of 30 walks issued in the game.

Amber Waltz drove in three runs with two singles and Carrie Miller sent home two more with a double and a single to lead the Sentinels' offense.

Pacing the Rams at the plate were Sarah Murray with a home run and two singles that scored a total of four runs, and Erin Shaffer, who had a pair of hits.

The win upped Fort Hill to 7-4 overall and 5-4 in the WMIL.

Southern will host Flintstone today, play at Preston County on Friday, travel to Northern next Tuesday, and entertain Allegany next Thursday.

Fort Hill 435 021 2-17 8 0
Southern 151 040 0-11 10 5
Kristie Stone, Stephanie Skidmore (2) and Amber Waltz; Brandi Stoner, Jennifer Teagarden (3) and Erica Johnson, Shelly Winters (2), Amanda Reese (3).
HR - Sarah Murray (Southern).

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Southern High School Football Field.

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• Players must be in grades 4, 5, or 6 (fall of 1997).

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Arsenal Team Is Sanctioned; Openings Remain

The Oakland-based Arsenal Football Club has become the first United States Youth Soccer Association sanctioned traveling team in Garrett County. The event marks a major step in the continuing development of soccer in Western Maryland as this first team will compete at a high level of play in association with the West Virginia Travel League, according to organizer/coach Mel Menker.

The Arsenal team will play sanctioned teams from Morgantown, Wheeling, Parkersburg, Bridgeport, Shepherdstown, Charleston, and Martinsburg. They will also be playing in upper level tournaments in May and June. They will play in the University of Findlay Oilers Invitational Soccer Tournament in Findlay, Ohio, over the Memorial Day weekend.

The team is registered as a U-18 team, but the age of the players ranges from 13 to 17. Players are: Steve Allison, Clint Dudas, Chris Friend, Nick Grottelty, Bo Jonson, Chad Lovett, Jeff McDaniel, John Menker, Chris Menker, Brian Oxford, Steve Pariseau, Michael Schwalm, and Jacob Snodgrass. Coaches for the team are Menker and Clint Saville.

The team has three openings for other interested players. Players must live in Garrett or Preston county, be willing and able to travel each weekend and out of area to tournaments, and have good basic skills. Tryouts are required for consideration. Those interested in participating in a tryout should contact Coach Menker at 334-5906.

The Arsenal team had its first games in its league this past Sunday. In the first game of the afternoon played at Morgantown High School, the Arsenal team tied a team from the Mountaineer Soccer Club, 1-1, on a goal by Jeff McDaniel. Clint Dudas made eight saves in goal for Arsenal.

In the second game, which created a back-to-back situation for Arsenal, the team faced the West Virginia state champion team from Mountaineer Soccer Club and were defeated, 9-1. The goal by Arsenal was scored by Steve Pariseau on an assist by Steve Allison.

"We were very exhausted due to playing back-to-back games," Menker said, "but we showed tremendous courage in holding our opponent to only two goals in the second half."

Chris Menker had eight

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saves in the game and Steve Pariseau earned the Most Valuable Player of the Day award for his intense play and leadership in both games.

Ram Jayvees Tame Huskies In Twinbill

The Southern High junior varsity baseball team had no difficulty disposing of cross-county rival Northern at the Cove on Saturday, as the Rams crushed the Huskies in the first game of a doubleheader, 25-8, and coasted to a 17-3 win in the second game.

Josh Bosley led the Rams' offensive effort with a home run and three singles, while Chris Warfield and Keith Parks each recorded three singles. Warfield also had a pair of RBI.

Matt Settle homered and singled and Levi Schmuck had a double and two RBI for the Huskies.

Jason Finch earned the win on the mound over Josh Hook.

The second game featured two doubles and two singles by Warfield, three singles and two RBI by Jason Hinchbaugh, and a home run by Nick Grottelty for Southern. Settle doubled twice and Ryan Butler singled twice for Northern,

as Bosley won the game on the mound.

The Southern Jayvees are slated to host Reall in a doubleheader this afternoon, entertain Fort Hill in a twinbill Saturday, and travel to Keyser for a single game next Tuesday.

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Lakers Set School Record With Six More Victories

Six more victories on the road for the hot Garrett Community College Lakers this past week set a new GCC record, as Coach Ed

Garrett 112 032 4-13 15 0
Hagers-town 000 001 2-3 3 2
J.D. Hawkins, Jason Lantz (7) and Ryan Flanagan, Dave Shiffauer and Jimmy Escalante.
HR - Dennis Rulli (Garrett)

Garrett 203 110 3-10 11 5
Hagers-town 024 020 1-9 6 3
Jeremy Fitzwater, Ben Jones (4), Jason Lantz (7) and Ryan Flanagan, Hawkins (3), Kevin Coulborn, Jeremy Shaw (4), Mike Crawford (7), Chad Scarrist (7) and Brian Updegraff.
HR - Jimmy Escalante (Hagers-town)

Husky Netters Split A Match With Fort Hill

The girls' tennis team of Northern High School whipped visiting Fort Hill Tuesday afternoon, 6-1, while the Northern boys dropped a 7-0 decision.

The Northern girls swept the singles competition, as Jamie Jo Vent, Kathy Arnold, Lori Arnold, Dana Braskley, and Kristen Wright were all victorious. Winning in doubles for the Huskies was the team of Katie Sisler and Amanda Downton.

The only point recorded by the Sentinels was on a 10-8 doubles win.

The Fort Hill boys received three of their seven points because of forfeits by the Huskies - two in singles and one in doubles play.

Matt Evans, Scott Helmick, and John Squires all won in singles for the Sentinels, while the doubles team of Shawn Thomas and Jim Snyder also won.

Fort Hill Northern 7 0
Singles
Fort Hill won by forfeit
Fort Hill won by forfeit
Matt Evans, FH, def. David Butler 6-3, 5-7, 6-2.
Scott Helmick, FH, def. Travis Harris 6-4, 4-6, 6-2.
John Squires, FH, def. Pete Brosnihan 6-3, 6-1.

Doubles
Shawn Thomas and Jim Snyder, FH, def. Brosnihan and Harris 10-7.
Fort Hill won by forfeit.

Northern Fort Hill 6 1
Singles
Jamie Jo Vent, N, def. Emily Morozek 6-2, 7-6 (7-3)
Kathy Arnold, N, def. Sarah Grogg 6-2, 5-7, 6-0.
Lori Arnold, N, def. Casey Hook 6-3, 6-2.
Dana Braskley, N, def. Lisa Gardner 6-1, 6-1.
Kristen Wright, N, won forfeit.

Doubles
Morozek/Grogg, FH, def. Abby Bruch/Danielle Poik 10-8.
Katie Sisler/Amanda Downton, N, def. Kristie Combs/Emily Keiper 6-3, 6-7 (7-4), 6-2.

Wildesen and his team have now won 16 straight games and have improved their overall record to 20-6. Garrett swept host Hagerstown Junior College on Friday, 13-3 and 10-9, took a pair from Harford CC on Saturday, 4-1 and 9-4, in Havre de Grace, and then hammered Chesapeake CC on Sunday in Wye Mills, 16-0 and 12-2.

Denny Rulli powered the Laker bats against Hagerstown Junior College on Friday, as he finished the afternoon with five hits, including a two-run homer in the first game.

The Lakers finished with 15 hits in the first game alone, while J.D. Hawkins and Jason Lantz allowed a total of only three hits by the Hawks. Rulli got his homer in the sixth inning and also had a pair of singles, while Jeremy Miller singled twice for three RBI. Brian Tingen added a single and a triple, Brian Hays hit a double and a single, and Jeremy Fitzwater and Gene Sethman each contributed two singles.

Hawkins pitched the first six innings, struck out nine, and was awarded the win to up his personal record to 5-3 for the season.

It took a three-run rally in the seventh inning for the Lakers to win the second game, after going into that final frame down 8-7. Tingen and Mike Fiabane each drew walks on balls and Miller was hit by a pitch to load the bases. Rulli followed with a two-run single and Hays stroked a sacrifice fly to bring home the Lakers' final run to make the score 10-8.

Hagerstown initiated its own rally in the bottom of the inning by scoring a run and then loading the bases. However, Fiabane backhanded a soundly hit ball and got the force-out at second to end the game.

Reliever Ben Jones, who pitched three innings of relief, was awarded the win on the mound, while Jason Lantz worked the seventh inning to get the save.

Rulli led the Lakers' 11-hit effort with a double and a single, while Fiabane and Miller each finished with a double.

Garrett 010 200 1-4 9 4
Harford 100 000 0-1 4 0
Matt Bell and Ryan Flanagan, Kevin Gonpaz and Brad Abel.
HR - Rob Spicer (Harford).

Garrett 230 040 0-9 12 1
Harford 000 012 1-4 8 1
Matt Stollings and Jeremy Fitzwater, Dave Wolfkill, Todd Holman (5) and Brad Abel.

"We were fortunate to win the second game," stated Coach Wildesen, "especially considering the fact that we committed five errors."

The Lakers continued to get outstanding pitching in the doubleheader against Harford on Saturday, as Matt Bell and Matt Stollings each recorded complete-game victories.

Bell struck out eight, gave up only four hits, and walked just one to earn the win in the first game.

Harford took a 1-0 lead when Rob Spicer rapped a solo homer in the bottom of the first inning.

The Lakers tied it at 1-1 in the second frame when Hays singled, advanced to second on a sacrifice, and scored on a single by Hawkins.

GCC assumed the lead for good with a pair of runs in the bottom of the fourth on a two-run double by Hawkins, who led the Lakers' nine-hit effort with a double and a single for three RBI. Tingen added a pair of singles.

In the second game Stollings struck out six and went on to record his first collegiate victory. The Laker offense gave him two runs in the first inning, three in the second, and four more in the fifth, as Fiabane and Rulli each had a double and three singles to account for eight of Garrett's 12 hits. Chad Roy added a double and a single.

"It's great for your pitching staff when two guys can go the distance and both get wins," Wildesen said. "We also had another good day of hitting the ball, even though the wind took a few away from us."

The Laker pitching was even more impressive on Sunday in the double win over Chesapeake, as Ben Jones fired a no-hitter in the opener and Rocky Harless allowed only three hits in the nightcap. Both games were called after five innings because of the 10-run rule.

Jones upped his personal mark to 5-1 by striking out 10 batters and not allowing a single hit, while Hays provided a fourth inning grand slam to highlight the Laker offensive performance in game one. Tingen and Fiabane also had homers, both solo shots in the third inning.

Hawkins finished with a double and a single for GCC, Chad Roy added a double, Fiabane also had two singles to go with his home run, and Tingen had one.

Harless earned his three-hit win in the second game, as the Lakers capitalized on 11 walks off John Richardson and Wes Barnett led

Garrett 014 55-16 15 0
Chesapeake 000 00-0 0 0
Ben Jones and Jeremy Fitzwater, Mark Howard and Tony Eskridge.
HR - Brian Tingen, Mike Fiabane, Brian Hayes (Garrett).

Garrett 314 22-12 7 0
Chesapeake 020 00-2 3 4
Rocky Harless and Ryan Flanagan, John Richardson and Tony Eskridge.

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the Garrett hitting by going three-for-three. Hays and Fitzwater each had a double in a seven-hit effort.

"Needless to say, our team chemistry is very good right now," Coach Wildesen said. "We had a pretty rough start to the season, but three of our six early losses could have been victories with just one or two breaks. We've defeated some very good teams in this streak, such as Allegany, Rockville, and Charles."

The Lakers had a couple of contests rained out this week (with Frostburg State Jayvees and Potomac State).



Garrett County Outdoors

By Robert Yonke

Trout fishing in early season can be fun or it can be a frustrating experience. This holds for bait fishermen who work the put-and-take waters as well as the fly fisherman who spend their time on catch-and-release project streams.

At this time of year, waters tend to be high and cold, requiring techniques that put the bait, lure or fly where the trout can get to it. Here are some tips gleaned from a bunch of folks who know how to hook them in all conditions.

The first thing to remember is that it is almost impossible to go too small or too light when fishing the early season. This applies to hooks, line, bait, and sinkers. A No. 8 hook is as large as should be considered for early season bait fishermen. Even smaller is probably better. And, four pound test monofilament is the heaviest line that is practical. Red worms are a better choice than nightcrawlers and small minnows are better than large. A two-inch minnow will take larger trout and is still small enough for the smaller stocked fish to take.

Another problem with early season trout fishing, particularly on the put-and-take waters, is crowds. One would do well to get out very early to beat the crowds or wait until mid afternoon when there might be more room. Another thought is to fish the riffles and pockets between the more popular pools.

Fly fishermen also should think small. Beadhead nymphs fished slow and deep should produce strikes even in cold, colored water. The key is to get it down to where the fish are holding because they probably won't move far to take it.

RIVER REPORT

The rivers of western Maryland are generally running close to normal flow for this time of year and are beginning to fish pretty well. Harold Harsh of Spring Creek Outfitters reports that the North Branch is carrying normal spring flow and is clear and cold. Even though there have been no significant hatches to this point, the fishing has been fair on nymphs and streamers.

The Savage is similarly carrying normal flow and is running clear. Fishing recently has been a bit above average with a blue quill hatch stimulating much of the action. This hatch should last a couple more weeks followed by the quill Gordon. As water temperatures get above 50 degrees, action should pick up. The Yough has been up a bit and a little off color. Last week Harold picked up four nice rainbows in the put-and-take section just outside of Oakland that were holdovers from last year. He caught these on his own hellgramite pattern that from this day on will be dubbed Harold's Hellgramite.

SPRING TURKEY SEASON IS UPON US

Maryland's spring gobbler season is here and there is apparently no shortage of good size toms waiting for anxious hunters. Ray Wharton is high on a new locator call known as the "screamin' peacock." Word is that this really stirs up the gobblers and gets them going.

FISHING DEEP CREEK LAKE
To date, there have been very few walleyes reported taken in Deep Creek Lake. Maybe it's the water temperature? But Ray Wharton got out on the lake last week and reported some good largemouth action in shallow water. Ray said that the largemouth caught had very little body color, so they must have just come up from their deeper sanctuaries. He did pick up two walleyes and apparently they had not spawned yet, whereas there was a lot of sign that the yellow perch had already produced their egg sacks. Usually, walleyes spawn earlier than the perch.

ARCHERY LEAGUE REPORT
Both D & B Sports Shop and Appalachian Mountain Crafts have completed their winter archery leagues and posted the final standings. At D & B, the top team was that of Terry Lucas, Zane Kisner, and Mike Fulmer. Runner-up team was that of Brad Reams, Doug Ratliff and, Babe Ratliff. Finishing third were Tom Layton, Dan Layton, and Don Kisner.

AMC had the team of Jim Hare, Darl Wimer, Mike Wimer, and Jim Iden taking down their championship. **PLAN NEXT FALL'S BIG GAME HUNTS NOW**
The time to be planning hunts that require extended travel, outfitters, non-resident licenses, and the like is now. Clyde Gouker, a hunter and outdoorsman of exceptional skill, has recommended an outfitter and guide service out of Almont, Colorado, as an excellent choice for anyone seeking a high-quality outdoor adventure.

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Note, it is too late to get in the Colorado lottery for cow elk and doe licenses. Applications for these had to have been received by April 1. If any other readers have had good experiences with an outfitter in some remote area, let us know and we'll pass it along.

THIS IS YOUR FORUM
This column, Garrett County Outdoors, can be a forum for distributing information of interest to sporting men

According to their schedule, they are slated to host Cecil CC this Friday, entertain Westmoreland CC in a doubleheader on Saturday, and host Dundalk in a twinbill on Sunday.

It was announced this morning that the Garrett Community College baseball team is ranked number one in the Maryland JUCO standings this week. The Lakers have won their last 16 games and are currently 14-3 in JUCO competition (20-6 overall). Allegany College, Cumberland, is ranked second with a 13-5 JUCO mark and 28-6 overall.

and women. If you have something you would like discussed or a question or comment about any pertinent subject matter send it to Garrett County Outdoors, P.O. Box 326, Oakland, MD 21550.

EAT DIRTY Area Speedway Review

Elkins Motor Speedway

After four and a half years, Erin Dyer has announced that he will step down as promoter of Elkins Motor Speedway.

Dyer and his family took the reigns of the race track a week before Independence Day in 1992 and showed immediately what would become nearly a half decade of an entire family's devotion by putting together a clean, exciting, family-oriented facility within seven days.

"We had a lot of help, not only from family and friends, but from the entire racing community," Dyer recollected. "It's said that auto racing is a family sport. It was in that first week this belief was proven true to me."

Creating a fun, family atmosphere was the first goal set by the new promoter and his family. In pursuit of this goal, EMS, in 1992, prohibited alcohol in the grandstands, created a Jr. Racing Club for kids 12 years of age and younger, provided intermission entertainment every Saturday night, and promoted discounts for children and their parents.

Dyer and his family also turned up the racing excitement at EMS by securing divisional sponsors Bank One, Coca-Cola, and McDonald's. In addition, several local businesses including R.H. Armstrong Company, Roy's Travel Trailers, Jenkins Ford, Elkins Home Show, Wendy's, Elkins Distributing, and Performance Motors were event sponsors, all of whose support helped generate special event racing at the Elkins oval. Under the Dyer family reigns the Forest Festival Invitational, the track's anchor event, broke late model attendance records in consecutive seasons (1995 and 1996) that date back to the track's inception in 1952.

Among other initiatives, promotional insight brought a new class of race cars to

the track in 1994, the UMP Modifieds, which quickly exploded in popularity. In 1995 EMS picked up a permanent spot on the Northeast Winners Series touring circuit by hosting the Saturday night leg of the popular Thunder in the Mountains Tour.

"It's hard to let the track go," said Dyer. "I've gotten to know so many good people. Fans, drivers, sponsors, and other promoters all helped make Elkins Motor Speedway a premiere track."

The future of the track remains uncertain as no new promoter has been announced. The opening date for the 1997 racing season has yet to be formally announced; however, a May opening date is rumored. Landowner Keith Hamner has been in negotiation with possible future promoters but may operate the facility himself. At this time, he has not made an official comment.

Interstate 79 Speedway

Opening night at the Interstate 79 Speedway found lots of fans and race cars ready to begin the 1997 racing season with racing brought by the West Virginia Lottery. Visiting Victory Lane were Tim Hitt, Paul Wilmoth Jr., Mike Wilson, Steve Mason, and Brian Tonkery.

The lineups this year will be by drivers' point average, but a straight-up start began the new season. Tim Hitt of Weston, W.Va., started on the pole and led flag to flag in the 25-lap late model main event. The 21-car field found many drivers scrambling for positions behind Hitt. The driver on the move was Gary Dalton, who started ninth and moved up to finish second. Mike Hawkins finished up third after giving Hitt a real challenge for the win. Fourth and fifth went to Terry McKisic and Scott Peltz. Six through 10 were Kenzie Compton Jr., Denny Chamberlain, Doug Dodd, who came

from 20th position, Chuck Harper, and Mack Haessly Jr. Heat winners were Hitt, Chamberlain, and Peltz.

The semi-lates put on a good show as they swapped positions back and forth. Paul Wilmoth Jr. took the checkered ahead of Jon Messenger, Doug Horton, Greg Lemley, and Shawn Poling. Earlier prelims went to Messenger and Mark McGill. McGill came across the line second in the feature but was found to be light at the scales.

Mike Wilson, who has won so many races in the past, kept to his winning ways in the 23-car McDonald McModifieds field as he basted the pack ahead of Dave Defibaugh, Louie Krushansky, Robbie Evans, and Steve Wigle. Steve Cook, Wilson, and Weston Griffith Jr. won heats.

The Dwarf cars have been added to the racing card at I-79 this season and Steve Mason became a first-time winner. He was followed by Eric Hay, Ken Hawkins, Terry Hall, and Butch Summers. The heat races were taken by Hall and Mason.

As always at I-79, the pure stockers raced hard and swapped a little point in the process. It was a good battle to the end, with Brian Tonkery coming across the line followed by Jim Shaffer, Mark Bell, Tracy Cooper, and John Maxwell. Gary Tonkery and Shaffer won the heat races.

Regular 5-division racing continues this Friday night with Autograph and Picture Night for the fans. Each week a Jr. Fan is chosen and given the honor of meeting his or her favorite driver. The youngster is also given a T-shirt and hat, along with a hot dog and drink sponsored by Target Industries.

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Injuries Occur, Charges Filed In Recent Accidents

In recent motor vehicle accidents, investigated by Maryland State Police, Barrack W. McHenry, all drivers were charged, according to reports, and all resulted in injuries requiring emergency medical transport.

NEW GERMANY RD

According to police reports, on April 18 Patsy S. Bowers, 56, Swanton, was

traveling northbound on New Germany Road when she hit a patch of ice and lost control of her vehicle.

The vehicle reportedly went on to the right shoulder then traveled back onto the roadway and across to the southbound lane. The car struck a ditch and landed on its driver's side.

Grantsville Volunteer Fire Department and Northern Rescue Squad were also on the scene. Bowers and her passenger, Donald D. Bowers, 36, Swanton, were both transported to Garrett County Memorial Hospital, where they were treated and released.

MSP report charging Bowers with failure to reduce speed in dangerous road conditions.

ROCK LODGE RD

The intersection of Rock Lodge Road and Monte Vista Drive was the scene of an accident April 19 at 8:01 a.m.

According to police reports, Michelle A. Schwartz, 26, Philomont, Va., slowed almost to a stop in the southbound lane of Rock Lodge Road to turn onto Monte Vista Drive. At the same time, Curtis C. Hutson, 35, Oakland, who was traveling southbound on Rock Lodge Road, tried to stop his pick-up truck and swerved into the northbound lane in front of the Schwartz vehicle. The ensuing impact pushed the Schwartz vehicle on to Monte Vista Drive.

The Hutson vehicle reportedly left 21 feet of skid marks to the point of impact. Deep Creek VFD and Northern Rescue Squad were on the scene. Schwartz and her passenger, Shamar L. Scriber, 25, Leesburg, Va., were transported to Garrett County Memorial Hospital, where they were treated and released.

Hutson was charged by MSP.

CHESTNUT RIDGE RD

Two vehicles were involved in an accident on Chestnut Ridge Road at 1-68, April 19, 9:13 a.m.

The police report states that Robert Garrett Jr., 59, Fairmont, W.Va., while driving north on Chestnut Ridge Road, failed to yield the right of way when turning across the southbound lane.

Franklin R. Broadwater, 21, Grantsville, was traveling in the southbound lane at the time and was struck by the Garrett vehicle. The impact caused Garrett's vehicle to make a U-turn and travel back across the northbound lane, onto a hill, over two road signs, across the bridge over I-68, and into the grass near the ramp.

Garrett was charged by MSP and taken by Northern Rescue Squad to Cumberland Memorial Hospital.

STATE PARK RD
MSP report an accident involving two juveniles on State Park Road west of the Deep Creek Lake Recreation Area office.

According to the report, on April 22 at 6:25 p.m. a vehicle driven by a 17-year-old Swanton youth was traveling westbound on State Park Road when he ran off the road. Attempting to steer to the left, the driver lost control of the vehicle and rolled into a ditch.

The accident was reported caused by negligence. Both the driver and a juvenile passenger were transported by Southern Rescue Squad to Garrett Memorial Hospital, where they were treated and released.

Finally, Ransom Davis

says that all charges made by Sheriff Sines were reasonably related to the sheriff's office. I certainly am interested in hearing Sheriff Sines' or Ransom Davis' explanation that would allow the use of a county credit card to purchase items at Sea World in San Antonio, Texas, in the amount of \$55.92, and merchandise at the Hard Rock Cafe in San Antonio in the amount of \$140.08, to name two expenditures of many.

In conclusion, I think you better have your story straight before you make comments that are not proper or true. Your rhetoric may better serve you in the future in a court of law.

Sincerely,
Mark P. Proulx
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Sheriff Issues

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ers for authorization of payment, which he assumes were "reviewed," approved by the chairman, and then remitted to the county treasurer to be paid in the ordinary course.

He points out that there was no secrecy on his part in his use of the card nor was there "any attempt to disguise the nature of the charges I made." He says that he assumed that the commissioners "would have disapproved them (the charges) and declined to make payment if something was wrong."

Sines claims that he was told when he first took office that he was entitled to up to \$1,000 per year as a personal expense allowance "as part of my annual compensation, to be spent at my sole discretion." Although his statement does not say that it was then county administrator Robert Fousek who explained this to him, Sines told a reporter for *The Republican* that it was indeed Fousek who said he was entitled to the \$1,000 personal expense allowance.

Pagenhardt stated that no county employee, elected or otherwise, has such a personal line of credit as part of his or her salary package. He also said that the commissioners' office "has no record of a credit card application." He added that, while the commissioners knew Sines had in his possession a credit card, they had never authorized one for him.

Pagenhardt said that there is a \$1,000 line item in the budget for the sheriff's office labeled "sheriff's discretionary fund," but that all purchases from that fund are to be for the benefit of his office and not for him personally.

"No elected official or county employee is authorized to buy personal things at county expense," stated Commissioner Wayne Wilt. "It's just that simple. I don't know what the sheriff was told at the time, but I know that I have never given such authorization to anyone on the county payroll."

While some local media reported that Sines was to have a meeting early this week with Assistant State Prosecutor Isabel Cumming, who is handling the case, Sines and Cumming both confirmed that there was no such meeting and as yet there is no meeting planned. Cumming, in a telephone call this morning, said that her investigation is continuing and, as of right now, she has "absolutely no comment" on the case.

Sines concluded his statement by saying that he is "confident" that Cumming's investigation will prove his claims to be "true and correct" and that he intends to "cooperate fully" with the state prosecutor's office.

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	4/20	55	22	0
	4/21	53	26	.13
	4/22	59	31	0
	4/23	57	41	.17
KEYSERS RIDGE	4/17	60	32	.35
	4/18	37	22	0
	4/21	53	26	0
	4/22	58	31	.17
	4/23	57	38	.05

Lake Hearing

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stated in an interview last week that this hearing will solely deal with the Deep Creek Lake ordinance. This involves commercial resort area category changes that basically will affect the Wisp Resort, the Garrett County Fairgrounds, the Double G Ranch area, and the Quarry Road area where the new movie theatres are located.

Currently, these areas are located in lake residential property. While the businesses and the fair board have always had to go the zoning board for any changes to their sites, the new ordinance will allow them to bypass that step.

"For instance, if the fair board wants to develop more recreational attractions, it will be able to do that now without seeking a special exception from the zoning board," Nelson said. He explained that this is a minor change and that it is in line with the new Smart Growth Initiative, recently approved by the Maryland General Assembly.

Another change in the interest of preserving land will be the clustering of single-family homes on larger lots. Currently one unit per acre is allowed, but this change will permit the clustering of homes, such as condominiums, on a smaller lot in an effort to preserve larger tracts of land.

"The 'common area' has to be there," Nelson said. "Everyone can use it, too, for recreation such as hiking or picnicking."

A group home revision is also in the plan, changing the number from four to eight unrelated persons in one house to be considered a family home. With the implementation of the ordinance, outdoor lighting in the lake area must be placed or shielded so that it is not a nuisance to residents. This recommendation was added at the reported request of citizens who are aggravated by the lighting of the new 24-hour Hardee's/BP convenience store development in McHenry.

A handicapped parking requirement to businesses will be included in the ordinance. No number was

ever prescribed in the past, Nelson said, but the ordinance will require a minimum of one space for the handicapped per every 25 regular spaces.

Hearings on two remaining ordinance issues will be scheduled in May or June, Nelson said. These will have to do with the sub-division ordinance and the sensitive area issues.

The sub-division ordinance has been the center of much discussion between Nelson's office and realtors, as it deals with changes in the way persons may sell land parcels. Currently, individuals or realty companies may purchase large tracts of land and sell parcels from the tracts one at a time while paying taxes on

the tract alone. The new ordinance would require the sellers to notify the planning office of any planned sell and the sellers would be taxed per parcel. This is apparently in an effort to "shift the focus to cluster housing."

The final ordinance will focus on seven "visions" set forth by the state. They are to direct growth, preserve rural areas, protect sensitive areas, zone steep slopes, designate flood plains, protect all stream buffers, and maintain habitats for endangered species.

As the remaining hearings approach, more detailed information on the specific ordinances will be published.

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Sincerely,
The Dale Harvey Family

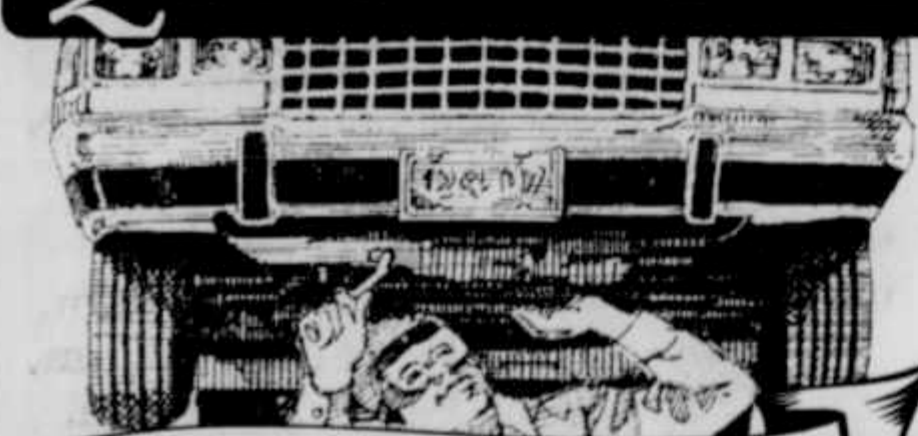
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Beard Is Named '97 John Dewey Award Recipient



The Garrett County Federation of Teachers (GCFT) announced this week that David Beard is the recipient of the 1996-1997 John Dewey Award. The award recipient has logged 28 years of service in Garrett County Public Schools. He is a teacher at Southern High School in the subject of social studies, to which he "devotes much time and energy to helping his students understand the workings of government so they can be successful when taking the Maryland Functional Citizenship Test," stated a GCFT spokesperson.

An outdoors enthusiast, Beard is an avid Southern High School athletics fan. He lists being named 1986 Southern Garrett Athletic Association Citizen of the Year as one of his treasured awards, the spokesperson said.

In civic organizations, Beard has served as the president of the Oakland Lions, the Maryland Optimist Club (of Garrett County), and the County Supervisors of Elections. He has been married to Beverly Beard for 37 years. They have two children and three grandchildren.

Also nominated for the 1996-1997 John Dewey Award were Linda Booth, John Braskey, Martin Green, and Jo Ann Robinson.

Mrs. Booth is a Southern Middle School special education teacher. She has been an employee of the Garrett County Board of Education for the past 10 years. Her community organization involvements include the Special Olympics, the Union High School PTA, the House of Hope, the Potomac Highlands Mental Health Guild, and the Southern High School Cross-Country team. She has been married to her husband Carl for 27 years.

John Braskey has been a substitute teacher at various Garrett County Schools. He is currently serving his

fourth term as a Garrett County Commissioner. In other service, he has been president of the Grantsville Lions and Maryland Association of Counties and is presently a board member of the Garrett County Memorial Hospital and the Governor's Greenway Commission. He and his wife Pam are members of St. Ann's Catholic Church in Grantsville.

Martin Green is currently the principal at Northern High School. He has been an employee of the Garrett County Board of Education for 22 years. He is the past president of the Administrators and Supervisors Association and the Eastern Garrett Recreation Association. He has been married to his wife Sherry for 20 years and they have two children.

Jo Ann Robinson is a former Northern High School physical education teacher and 17-year cheerleader advisor. She was a 30-year employee of the Garrett County Board of Education. In civic activities, Mrs. Robinson served as recreation advisor for the Friendsville community and started the volleyball program at Northern High School. She is married to Leroy Robinson, and the couple has three children and five grandchildren.

The John Dewey Award is an annual honor given by the GCFT with the purpose of recognizing a person who has provided exceptional contributions to education. The recipient is nominated by a GCFT member.

The award will be presented to Beard at a dinner in May. The nominees will also be recognized.

GLAF Season

Continued from Page A-1 and Coldwell Banker-Deep Creek Realty on August 15, 16, 22, and 23.

The final event of the summer season will be a free concert by the U.S. Navy Band "Country Current" and performance by the Stuttgart (Germany) Dance Troupe at the Deep Creek Lake State Park on August 30, presented by GPU Energy.

During the GLAF 1997 summer season, three writing workshops will be presented by the Eugene M. Lang Foundation at Fantasy Valley. These workshops will be Adult Poetry Writing on June 20-22, Adult Fiction Writing on July 11-13, and the Young Writers' Workshop on July 21-25.

The "Voice in America" Chautauqua program featuring Maryland writers and sponsored by the Maryland Humanities Council will be held under a tent on the GCC campus on July 3 and 5.

Tickets for GLAF events



EARTH DAY TREE PLANTING - Earth Day in Maryland was celebrated by some on April 19, the day on which Governor Parris Glendening requested that each county in the state have at least one buffer planting to help clean up Maryland's streams. The buffer planting selected in Garrett County was along King's Run in the Mount Nebo Wildlife Management Area. The planting is to serve two purposes: one, to help protect the stream, and two, to fulfill the county's obligation to reforest this site in exchange for the ground given for a new trash collection site in the Mt.

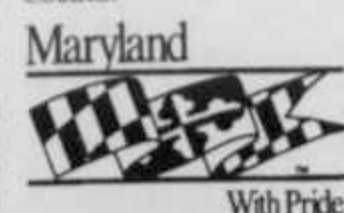
are \$8 for adult and \$4 for youth age 17 and under, except for the classical music series for which tickets will

be \$12 for adult and \$6 for youth. Value tickets for the Variety Series (all events except the classical music

series) will be available at the GLAF Box Office for \$40 for adults (a \$48 value) and \$20 for youth (a \$24 value). Multiple admissions (up to six) will be permitted on one Value Variety Series

ticket. Value tickets for the classical music series will be available at \$35 for adults (a \$48 value) and \$18 for youth (a \$24 value) with multiple admissions (up to four) permitted on one ticket. Holders of the series value tickets will be asked to call the GLAF office at 387-3082 at least 24 hours prior to a performance to reserve admission tickets. Persons with special needs are asked to call the office two weeks prior to the performances they plan

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GCSO Investigates Two Burglaries Of Grantsville Home

The Garrett County Sheriff's Office is investigating a two burglaries of the same Grantsville residence that occurred last week.

The first burglary of the Platter Road home was discovered by a relative of the resident on April 13, but was not reported to police at that time. The front door had been kicked open, several windowpanes had been broken by rocks, and a cellular phone and two Swiss Army Knives were taken.

The second burglary was discovered by the same relative two days later, and he called the sheriff's office to report both. The house and the garage appeared to have been broken into during the second incident. The garage appeared to have been used for a party, with a fire built inside. Drug paraphernalia with trace amounts of what was apparently marijuana and cocaine residue was also found on the scene.

Stolen during the two burglaries were: two Kenwood 140-watt 12-inch stereo speakers, valued at \$300 each; one Cwivaga 200-watt sub-woofer; one set of men's Browning Gore-tex Bibs, size medium, \$400; one Browning Gore-tex jacket, \$350; one cellular phone, make unknown, \$150; one Swiss Army Knife, special edition, \$150; one regular Swiss Army Knife, \$35. Total damages to the house and garage are estimated at \$450.

In other sheriff's office news this week, deputies are investigating the theft of a motor vehicle from a Hutton repair shop last week. The vehicle was subsequently recovered, but the suspect(s) are still at large.

A silver 1984 Dodge Charger two-door had been parked at Hutton Auto for a month after repairs were completed. When the owner came to the shop to retrieve the vehicle on April 22, she and the shop's personnel could not locate it.

Deputies subsequently matched the car's description to a vehicle towed earlier from Bud's Package Store, after the store owner reported an abandoned vehicle on the premises. The recovered vehicle suffered damage to the transmission that will require repair, and the odometer showed that 110 miles had been accumulated after it had been taken from the Hutton Auto lot. The investigation is still underway.

A destruction of property to an automobile parked at a White Rock Crosscut Road residence was reported to the sheriff's office last week.

The owner told deputies he believed the damage occurred on April 15, when he observed a subject who

appeared to be drunk walking in a circle around the parked vehicle. The owner then discovered what appeared to be bootprints on both the right and left front fenders. Damage is estimated at \$450. There is a suspect in the case, which is still under investigation.

Criminal Arrests

A Mtn. Lake Park man has been arrested by the Garrett County Sheriff's Office, and charged with one count each of breaking and entering, trespassing, and destruction of property.

Scott Allen Hebb, 18, allegedly entered his girlfriend's apartment in Oakland uninvited on April 17, while she was not at home. The babysitter on the scene reported that Hebb, who appeared to be drunk, told her that he was there to see his infant son. While walking through the Lewis B. Naylor Drive apartment, Hebb reportedly tripped over an end table, got angry and threw an electronic baby swing set, breaking the \$75 item into pieces. He then allegedly went into the bedroom and fell asleep on the bed. Responding deputies found him in the same spot, woke him up, and arrested him. Hebb was later released from jail on a \$2500 bond.

An Oakland man was arrested on April 20 and charged with second degree assault, stemming from a domestic fight with his girlfriend.

Michael Lee Clary, 42, allegedly pushed his girlfriend during an argument at her Oakland Avenue apartment, resulting in head lacerations when she fell against a nightstand. No medical attention was required. Both parties had been drinking, along with a second female on the scene, a friend of the woman's. Clary was later released from jail on his own recognizance.

Randy Dale Beckman, 25, and Rosemary Elza, 26, both Arkansas citizens who have been staying on Hutton Road in Oakland recently, were each arrested on April 12 on felony theft warrants.

Denise Karen Collins, 42, was arrested on April 21 on the strength of a bench warrant for failure to appear. Collins missed an April 9 District Court hearing on bad check charges. She was subsequently released on a \$50 bond.

DWI Arrests

Robert Eugene Johnson Jr., 32, Kitzmiller, was arrested on the evening of April 15 and charged with driving while intoxicated (DWI). Deputy Corley witnessed Johnson's vehicle weaving about on eastbound Route 38, and stopped it on Mt. Zion Road just off Route 135. Johnson was also charged with violation of an alcohol restriction on his driver's license.

Gilbert L. Brown, 47, Elk



A PLACE FOR CHILDREN to come and a place for adults to learn - This is how Maurice Travillian, assistant state superintendent for libraries, described a community library when he spoke at the dedication of the expanded Accident branch of the Ruth Enlow Library on Saturday. The 150 people of all ages, on hand for the festive occasion, underscored his words. It was a community event and the community gathered. Tiny babies, senior citizens, and everyone in between listened to music by the Accident Band, sang "Puff the Magic Dragon" with Rob Smith's guitar accompaniment and sampled the homemade cookies and brownies. The expanded facilities offer additional volumes and seven computers for community use, including Internet linkage. Above are pictured some of the little people of Accident who sat in the children's section and listened to guitar music. Below, Janet Otto, branch manager, continues as usual to help her library patrons while dozens of guests share refreshments and conversation.



Garden, W.Va., was arrested on the night of April 15 and charged with DWI. Deputy Murphy stopped Brown's vehicle after observing it weaving in the roadway on southbound Garrett Highway near Sand

Flat Road.

Joseph Alan Groves, 45, Masontown, W.Va., was arrested on the afternoon of April 17 and charged with DWI. Responding to a citizen's call, Deputy McLaughlin found Groves fast

asleep behind the steering wheel of his vehicle in the Allegany Rehabilitation Associates parking lot in Oakland.

Keith Nichols Weldon, 38, Oakland, was arrested on the night of April 17 and

charged with DWI. Deputy Bittinger stopped Weldon's vehicle on Dilley Road, after observing it weaving on westbound Route 38.

Michael Lee Tasker, 24, Elk Garden, W.Va., was arrested on the night of April 19 and charged with DWI. Deputy Corley witnessed Tasker's vehicle weaving on Route 38, then observed it speed up to 70 miles per hour in a posted 45 mile per hour speed zone.

Finally, a 17-year-old juvenile male from Terra Alta, W.Va., was arrested on the night of April 21 and charged with DWI. Deputy Corley executed the traffic stop after witnessing the subject's westbound vehicle attempt to pass three moving vehicles by using the right shoulder of Route 39.

Books Will Be Given Away In LaVale Saturday

Approximately 30,000 books were recently donated to the AmeriCorps "Read to Succeed" program, based at Frostburg State

University, and these books will be given away at an Regional Book Give-Away at the County Club Mall, LaVale, on Saturday, May 3, from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m.

The books were donated by Penguin Publishers to the Appalachian Christian Project and they are to be distributed, at no cost to recipients, throughout the Appalachian region. A variety of topics are available, including history, philosophy, classic literature, novels, art, social

issues, and others.

"Read to Succeed" is an AmeriCorps literacy program that provides free tutoring and promotes reading.

There is no limit to the number of books one person may take at the give-away, which will be located next to the Petland store. Persons are encouraged to bring boxes. For more information, persons may call 301-687-7598.

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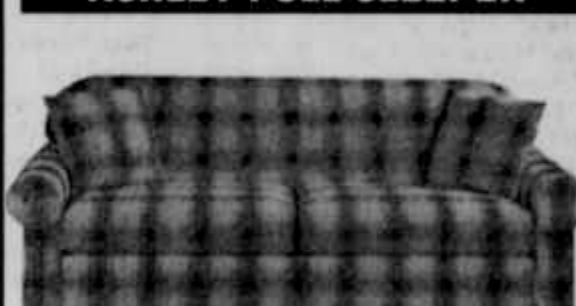
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GCMH Recognizes Two Employees



JEAN JOHNSON

Jean Johnson, a 15-year employee of Garrett County Memorial Hospital, has received the hospital's Employees' Choice Award for the month of April. Johnson works in the patient accounts department where she handles collections.

"Jean is one of the most dedicated employees I have ever had the pleasure of supervising," said Rita Durst, director of patient accounts. "She brings a strong work ethic and genuine desire to do a good job."

Darlene Tuel, RN, was selected as the Employees' Choice Award recipient for the month of March. Tuel



DARLENE TUEL

has been working as a recovery room nurse at Garrett Memorial since 1994.

Prior to coming to Garrett Memorial, Tuel worked in the surgical intensive care unit at Ruby Memorial Hospital in Morgantown, W.Va. She is a graduate of the Ohio Valley School of Nursing, Steubenville, Ohio, as well as West Virginia University.

"Darlene takes her job very seriously. Her patients are her primary focus, and the compassion and respect she shows them is reflected in her work daily," commented Cathy Miles, RN, operating room nurse manager at Garrett Memorial.

GRIC Offering Expanded Menu Of Telecommunications Services

An expanded menu of telecommunications services will be offered at lower rates for members of the Garrett Rural Information Cooperative (GRIC) in accordance with an action recently taken by the GRIC Board of Directors. According to Mary Ruddell, president of Hobby House Press and chairperson of the GRIC Board, this new menu represents a continuing effort by GRIC to provide improved and expanded information and telecommunication services at affordable pricing in response to community needs. "This has been made possible only through the collective participation and support of the many individuals, businesses and organizations that have joined the Cooperative," said Ms. Ruddell.

Among the new services is a "one-price-fits-all" offering for \$9.95 a month unlimited access to Intranet/Internet services available via a local phone call for residential, business, and organization accounts. Additional e-mail accounts and personal web page services may also be obtained at a "very modest" additional

monthly fee. Domain name hosting services offering unique identification and addressing are now available for those businesses or organizations wishing to have their own unique identity for e-mail and/or web operations. In conjunction with Garrett Community College, GRIC offers compressed video conferencing services on a dial-up basis to any part of the nation and the world.

GRIC, in cooperation with the Garrett Information Center (GIC), is now supporting access to a family resource data base containing over 300 web pages of information on family services available to county residents. A Community Calendar covering a wide range of activities and events is being implemented and will be coordinated by GIC through various county organizations. A family activities resource data base containing information on a wide range of family-based activities is also being planned.

GRIC is also expanding its telecommunications and related support services by offering higher speed and broader band width capabil-

ities. "Direct connect analog service to local area networks operated and maintained by businesses and organizations is available at cost effective rates for volume," Ruddell said. Digital (ISDN) network services are also provided on a dial-up or dedicated basis for those requiring broader band widths for data and/or compressed video transmission. This service is offered on a non-metered basis at a flat monthly rate. The GRIC community-wide network now has over 96 conditioned lines for handling both analog and digital transmissions from within the county and full T-1 service supporting Internet

access.

Many of the new and enhanced services have evolved over the past eight months since inception of GRIC's Intranet service. "Further enhancements and expansion of the services GRIC offers are now under development as part of the organization's continuing effort to better serve the community through improved, affordable access to information and telecommunications services," Ruddell said.

For further information on joining the Garrett Rural Information Cooperative and subscribing to its services, interested persons may call the GCNET Help Desk at 301-334-3048.

Meadow Glade Homemakers Meet

The Meadow Glade FCE held its monthly meeting on April 10. Wilda Davy provided the program, which was on gardening, and the monthly prize.

A representative from Green Acres Garden Center educated the members about when and how to plant various bulbs and shrubs, plus other gardening hints.

Monthly prizes were won by Loretta Wotring and Mary Simpson. The May

meeting will be held at Oak Park Church across from Southern High School.

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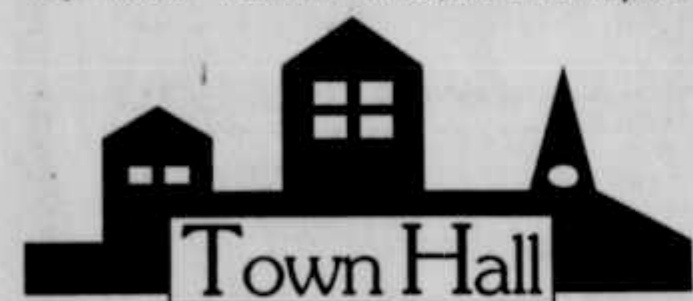
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Town councils met in two local municipalities this week.

GRANTSVILLE

On Monday, April 21, the Grantsville council and mayor met.

•The council agreed to defer to Garrett County Office of Planning and Zoning for enforcement of building codes under BOCA (Building Official's Codes Administration).

•There was a discussion of drivers speeding in front of the town park. Rubberized speed bumps and four-way stops were considered as deterrents. No decisions were made.

•The slate was announced for town elections to be held May 13. All incumbents will run for mayor and five council seats. There are no challengers.

The next meeting will be Monday, May 5.

MTN. LAKE PARK

The Mayor and town council met on Tuesday, April 22.

•A resolution was passed naming April Fair Housing Month.

•Some new maintenance equipment has been purchased for the town garage.

•The decision was made to contact Scot Boylan of Water Resources about the spillway at Mtn. Lake Dam.

•Two residential building permits were approved.

•The town will defer to the county office of planning and zoning for enforcement of BOCA codes.

•The town decided to renew a five-year franchise with Columbia Gas.

•The town received a letter from Triax Cable saying their work is on schedule and service will be available on schedule.

•The town decided to again pay its share as part of the circuit rider program.

•The County Commissioners will come to the next town meet.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday, May 13.

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Ski In-Ski Out 2065500 Fully furnished townhouse right on the slopes of the Wisp Ski Resort. Ski from your door. Great rental history. \$130,000



Red Run Nice condition three bedroom, two bath condo in park like setting. Amenities include pool, common dock slip and tennis courts. \$128,900

Location, Amenities, Views 6463 Very well priced unit overlooking lake and slopes. Furnished turnkey. Pool, beach area and dock slip. \$119,900

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LOTS

Thousand Acres Lakefront Lot 2022848 Level lakefront lot on Crows Point Road. Excellent location. \$178,500



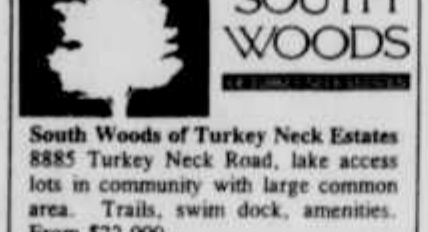
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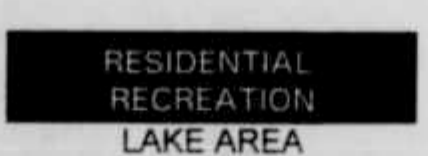
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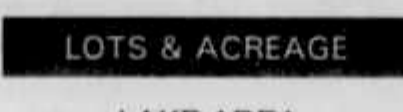


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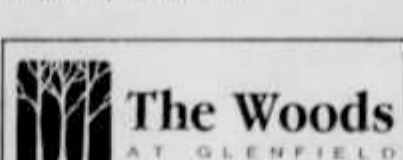
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K OF C INDUCTEES - Pictured above are new candidates from Chief Justice Taney Assembly, Knights of Columbus, representing Garrett and Allegany counties, who were recently inducted into the Maryland District of Calvert Providence of the Fourth Degree. From left are: Faithful Navigator George J. Schoenadel, LaVale, and new members Owen J. McAteer, Oldtown, Bruce Jenkins, Oakland, and Albert Coviello, Mtn. Lake Park. The local inductees were among 168 new members representing all 15 assemblies in the state of Maryland. The induction was held during the 97th Annual Exemplification, held at the Ramada Inn in Hagerstown. Among the local color corps members who took part in the event were PFN William K. Heise, Oakland, Rev. Martin Feild, former pastor of St. Peter's Catholic Church, Oakland, and currently the Maryland State chaplain for the Knights of Columbus, also participated.

April Recognized As Home Buyer Education Month

April has been selected as Home Buyer Education Month. Local efforts are being made by Garrett County Community Action, Committee, Inc. to increase homeownership opportunities for residents of the county.

According to Loring Young, director of housing services for Community Action, the program developed for his department focuses on removing barriers to home ownership. He noted that home ownership stimulates the local economy in subtle ways, such as the purchase of lawn mowers and other equipment, and furnishings. "People have more vested interest in the community when they are homeowners," he said.

Young explained that the first-time home owners program offered through his department is "not a blue-sky program. It is not a give-away." Instead, he said, it requires attending a six-hour education program that addresses responsibilities of homeownership, being a good neighbor, budgeting, and debt management. There is emphasis on home maintenance and training in how to maintain property.

Conventional financing, facilitated by the housing department, is arranged through a local lender.

To date, Young said, 220 people have attended the first-time home buyer classes and 30 of them have reached their goal of purchasing a home. For many, this is a long process because it requires stabilizing finances, changing purchasing habits, and reducing debt.

In conjunction with the home buyer program, Community Action has also had plans accepted to begin a building project in Mtn. Lake Park. According to Pam Nelson, assistant director of Community Action, the Mtn. Lake Park town council has accepted the plans for a third house to be constructed in that community.

Nelson said this project is a joint venture with the students at Southern High School. "We supply the funds to purchase materials and the students build the house," she explained. She described the arrangement as a very satisfactory one in which the students have the opportunity to have hands-on experience in the building trades.

These student-built houses are earmarked for purchase through the first time home buyers program. Of the two houses previously built by students, one has been sold, and the other is being completed.

Anyone wishing further information on the home buyers program, may call the housing department of Community Action at 334-9431.

Legal Aid Bureau Announces May Outreach Schedule

Staff members of the Legal Aid Bureau, Inc., will be available to discuss legal problems with persons on May 6 and May 20 at the Community Action Center, 104 East Center Street, Oakland. The Legal Aid Bureau representative will be available from 10 a.m. until noon on those dates.

The Bureau provides legal assistance in civil matters to eligible persons. Services are available at no

cost to those whose income and property holdings are below certain federally mandated levels.

The Western Maryland office of the Legal Aid Bureau is located at 110 Greene Street in Cumberland. The office can be reached in Garrett County by calling 301-334-8832.

Whenever possible, persons needing assistance should call in advance to schedule an appointment for the Outreach location or for an appointment at the Cumberland office, according to a Bureau spokesman.

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Scouting Dinner Slated, Rooney To Be Speaker

The 1997 "Friends of Scouting" Campaign, to support Potomac Council, is underway under the leadership of Allegany County Sheriff David Goad. The big event during the campaign is the "Friends of Scouting" Dinner set for Monday, May 5, at the Shrine Club in Cumberland.

The guest speaker at this year's dinner will be Art Rooney Jr., vice-president of the Pittsburgh Steelers and the second son of the famous Steeler owner.

Rooney, who has a house at Deep Creek Lake, is well-known in his own right by virtue of his work as the Steelers' director of scouting during their glory years. He is credited with drafting such productive Steelers as Franco Harris, Terry Bradshaw, Joe Greene, Jack Ham, Jack Lambert, John Stallworth, and Lynn Swann.

Working with Sheriff Goad in the campaign is a group of community leaders including: Jerry Allen, Carl O. Belt, Bob Bratti, Cole Brown, Alan Douglas, Lee Fiedler, Ivan Hall, Ed Huber, Dr. Dan Jackson, Kim Leonard, Bob Martin Sr., Larry McGreevy, Terry McKenzie, Ray Presley, Kim



GENTLEMEN, START YOUR ENGINES - Pack 70 Cub Scout Troop recently held their annual Pinewood Derby at Broad Ford Elementary School. Some of the participants pictured above, from left to right, are Drew Taylor, Chris Sines, TC Moon, and John Shaffer. Scout leader Tawney Brack supervises. Below, the derby winners pose with their trophies. Standing left to right they are Ryan Gosnell, first place; Brett Dewitt, second place; Drew Taylor, third place; and Chris Gutherie, fourth place.



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gest, Lowell Markey, Art Siemann, and Dr. Romulo Villanueva.

The 1997 goal is to raise \$85,000 for the Potomac Council, which is a participating agency in the County United Way.

Anyone interested in the campaign or the "Friends of Scouting" Dinner may call the Potomac Council at 301-729-1300.

Local Refractory Again Wins Top Safety Award

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AMONG CAST OF HARVEY -- Addy Wilson, daughter of David and Mary Wilson, Swanton, recently played a lead role in the theatrical production of the classic American play, *Harvey*, at West Virginia Wesleyan College, Buckhannon. Wilson, a senior at the college, is majoring in education. She is a 1993 graduate of Southern Garrett High School, where she was a member of the National Honor Society.

Lighthouse Plans Events To Focus On Mental Health

Garrett County Lighthouse, Inc., has set a schedule of events for May in recognition of Mental Health Month. Events included in the schedule are outreach, videos, consumer fashion show, Mother's Day tea, awards luncheon, International Day, and several guest speakers.

The consumers at Lighthouse will lead the way with a designed window display for the Ruth Enlow Library in Oakland, titled "New Beginnings in Mental Health." The community may view the display throughout May. Lighthouse will join with the Ruth Enlow Library to offer information and assistance regarding the impending changes in public mental health. Lighthouse outreach teams will be at the Oakland, Accident, Grantsville, Friendsville, and Kitzmiller branches of the Ruth Enlow Library throughout May.

Video presentations are through the Psychiatric Resource Center, a program of the American Psychiatric Association. Films presented in May will be: "American's Managed Care Revolution"; "Forget Me Never, the Effects of Alzheimer's"; "Out of My Mind," a family experience with schizophrenia; and "Living with Clozaril."

For more information about events, or to have questions answered, please call Lighthouse at 301-334-9126.



ELKS LADIES MAKE DONATIONS - Two local emergency service organizations recently received financial contributions from the Ladies of the Elks of Oakland Lodge #2481. Checks were presented to the Oakland Volunteer Fire Department and to the Southern Garrett County Rescue Squad. Pictured above, from left, are: Phyllis Pacheco, of the Ladies of the Elks; Mike Saunders, representing Southern Rescue; and Ladies of the Elks D.J. Moon and Norma Shahan. The same ladies are pictured below making a similar presentation to Dave Turney, treasurer of the Oakland VFD.



Study On The Impact Of ARC Funding Initiatives Underway

A study to ascertain the effectiveness of Appalachian Regional Commission (ARC) funding initiatives in Western Maryland is currently underway by Dr. Peggy Dalton, professor of economics at Frostburg State University.

Funded by the Tri-County Council, the purpose of this study is to classify ARC investments in Western Maryland and identify, where applicable, the impacts of those investments.

"This is a fairly traditional type of economic analysis," said Dalton. "However, the difficulty is linking the expenditures with socio-economic evidence of their benefits. In other words, we would like to have seen the health expenditures reduce infant mortality rates and the infrastructure expenditures increase commerce and employment."

According to Dalton, health expenditures include assistance to hospital construction, dental health programs at Allegany College, Friends Aware, alcoholism programs, ambulatory services, preventive health services, x-ray services for homebound individuals, psychiatric care, occupational therapy, cardiac monitoring, and others.

Infrastructure expenditures were made on water and sewage treatment projects, landfills, airport access roads, and highways throughout the region.

Called the "ARC Benchmark Study," it will "benchmark" or evaluate the impact of certain expenditures. Dalton will be identifying some indicators, or benchmarks, that can be used to evaluate the effectiveness of past ARC expenditures in improving the quality of life in the region. Hence, these indicators can be used to evaluate future expenditures.

"Right now I am in the

middle of this project," said Dalton, who's been working on it for several months. "It's a challenging project."

Since the mid-1960s, the ARC has provided \$250 million for project and technical assistance grants in the three Western Maryland counties: Allegany, Garrett, and Washington. These funds were matched locally, providing a total of over \$600 million in expenditures over the last 30 years. ARC investments will be categorized in terms of function such as loans, commerce, infrastructure, labor skill development, cultural, health, natural resources, planning, and housing. The direct impact of the categorized ARC investments will be evaluated in terms of employment, income, and assessable tax base.

"About 70% of the money was spent in infrastructure for highways, water, sewage, etc.; 8% went to labor skill development on projects for training purposes; and 11% went to housing and human resources for county health programs," added Dalton.

Overall, most Appalachian Regional Commission expenditures (60%) have been primarily for projects that benefit the entire region. About half of the matching funds have been for these projects.

"We have classified all the expenditures for the last 30 years and summarized them by type and by county," Dalton said. "Now we are investigating evidence of the impact."

The professor is working with Becky Pennington, a senior economics major at Frostburg, and Dr. Terry Rephann, the director of Institutional Research at Allegany College in Cumberland, and hopes to complete this project sometime this summer.

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CRIME SOLVERS

The Garrett County Crime Solvers organization is currently seeking information in a recent breaking and entering incident.

At approximately 1:47 p.m. on Feb. 3, unknown culprits broke a window to a residence located on the Meyersdale Road in Garrett County. The perpetrators, who had apparently been dropped off by another person driving a copper-colored Oldsmobile or Buick, then entered the residence and removed jewelry, keys to the house, a wallet, and a man's wedding band. The robbers were scared off when a family member heard the glass shatter and arrived to investigate. The loss in this case exceeds \$200.

Persons who have information about this case or any other unsolved crime are asked to call the Garrett County Crime Solvers at 334-1975. If a tip leads to an arrest and the charging of the responsible party, the caller may be eligible for a cash reward of up to \$1,000. Persons do not have to give their names, nor do they have to appear in court.

Oakland Chapter Of OES Meets

Oakland Chapter No. 67, Order of the Eastern Star, met Tuesday, April 15, at the Paul B. Naylor Masonic Temple in Oakland. Worthy Patron Ted Raynovich called the meeting to order. Worthy Matron Thelma Henshaw opened with a reading, "My Garden of Prayer," and then greeted Albert T. Beckman, Grand Sentinel of Maryland; Juanita Bosley and Betty Beckman, Grand Representatives; Past Matrons and Past Patrons, officers, and members of Oakland Chapter; and Ted Raynovich and Delmar Sliger, Brothers holding Masonic honors.

Birthdays for April were celebrated and gifts presented. Announcements included: Grand Chapter Session, to be held at the Ramada Inn Convention Center in

Hagerstown, April 27-30, and the next meeting to be May 6, with a Mother's Day program and a report on Grand Sessions.

Mrs. Henshaw's closing was "Count Your Blessings" and refreshments were served by Marie Shroul and Betty Moran.

Church Plans Spaghetti Meal

The Deep Creek Charge of the United Methodist Church will hold a spaghetti dinner at the Hoyes United Methodist Church located on Hoyes Road, near Rt. 42, on Friday, May 2.

Dinner will be served from 4:30 p.m. until 8 p.m. The dinner will include spaghetti, Italian bread, tossed salad, dessert, and beverage. The cost is \$5 for adults and \$2.50 for children. This event is a fund-raiser for church office equipment.

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4-H Club News

SNOWY CREEK
by Shelby Glover
Club Reporter

The Snowy Creek 4-H Club held its monthly meeting on April 10. There were 17 members present.

We had a guest speaker, Tanya Vetter, who talked to us about recycling. Each member brought in items he or she collected to be recycled.

David Smearman did a demonstration on his sheep. The members participating in the broiler project received their baby chicks on April 3. Each member was given a seed to plant and raise for a short period to help people get started on their gardens.

The club plans to attend the Old Pike's Day Festival on May 17 in Addison, Pa. We will be building a float to display in the parade and will set up a booth to sell popcorn.

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COVER STORY

I Am Your Child shows how to make a difference

By Suzanne Gill
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Like a lot of people, when actor-director-studio executive Rob Reiner reached middle age, he started to think about a "way to make a real difference in solving society's problems."

The answer, in part, was to do what Mickey Rooney and Judy Garland did in those old *Andy Hardy* films: put on a show.

Reiner's show, *I Am Your Child*, is a star-studded special airing Monday, April 28, on ABC. His rallying point is early childhood - the critical developmental period from birth to age 3.

"When I was going through analysis in the '80s, it became very clear to me that what happened in my first years of life was critical in terms of how I developed later on," says Reiner, director of *The Princess Bride*, *When Harry Met Sally* and *Ghosts of Mississippi*.

While it's easy to view the Hollywood community's penchant for psychoanalysis as purely self-indulgent, Reiner came away from the experience with a sense of mission.

"If we really want to impact crime, teen pregnancy, drug abuse, child abuse, homelessness and welfare, the way to do it is to focus in on the first three years of life," he says.

Reiner is particularly interested in recent research on how the neurological connections that become pathways of intelligence and personality are formed between conception and age 3. Through play, baby talk and other stimuli, "we are actually forming connections in the (child's) brain," Reiner says.

"Even if you don't deal directly with kids, you're living in the world," he says. "You don't want to have to pay for more jails. We're showing that if you attack these problems at the roots and give children the right foundation in the first three years, you'll have significant reductions in these areas."

Fortunately there are no special skills or equipment needed. "If you're loving and attentive and physically nurturing, your child is going to get what he or she needs," Reiner says. "We're saying, now that we know this new brain science, we can maximize that."

What can one man do? So far, Reiner has teamed with Johnson & Johnson to produce a parenting video, AT&T to distribute a brochure, IBM to create a Website, *Newsweek* magazine to publish a special issue, and President Bill Clinton and Hillary Rodham Clinton to create a White House conference.

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IN FOCUS

Kelly Rowan and John Stamos play two single adults persuaded by the man's mother to go on a blind date in *A Match Made in Heaven*, premiering Sunday, April 27, on CBS.

Spirited Helen Ross (Olympia Dukakis) is anxious to see her son, Tom (Stamos), married, especially after she learns she doesn't have long to live.

Helen meets a nurse (Rowan) she believes would be perfect for Tom, who is determined to remain single. Della Reese and Estelle Getty also star.

SOAP TALK
Days of Our Lives fan puts feelings to musicBy Candace Havens
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Days of Our Lives fans are some of the most loyal in daytime television, and one of their all-time favorite couples is Bo and Hope (Peter Reckell and Kristian Alfonso).

Unfortunately, fans aren't getting their wish when it comes to keeping Bo and Hope together. Since Alfonso and Reckell returned to the show, the couple have been kept apart for various reasons.

This turn of events has fans in an uproar and looking for answers.

One longtime fan of the show, songwriter Ron Kalt, has written a song called "Hope" about the couple.

"The song, independent of the current story line, focuses on the love Bo and Hope share and is a dedication to their history and future," Kalt says.

Halt's song has received a great deal of support from fans who are clamoring for anything related to Bo and Hope.

The song also has received a great deal of attention in the media, but Kalt hasn't had much luck with the producers at *Days*. "I keep hoping they will listen to the song and use it," Kalt says. "I think it is something the fans would enjoy."

Dear Candace: Is the actress who plays Buffy in the new WB Network series *Buffy the Vampire Slayer* the same one who played Kendall on *All My Children*? -M.N. in Trinity, N.C.

Dear Reader: Yes. Sarah Michelle Gellar played Kendall on AMC.

Dear Candace: I must agree



Peter Reckell and Kristian Alfonso

with a comment you recently made to a reader.

The reader was upset because she thought there was too much sex on daytime television, and her children weren't able to watch the shows. What is she thinking?

I think it is important to talk to and educate our children. If more people spent time doing that, we wouldn't have so many troubles today.

I'm an old woman, 78, and I love the soaps. I believe sex is a part of life and should be part of soaps because they imitate life for the most part. Be responsible and talk to your children about what they are watching. -C.F. in Cape Coral, Fla.

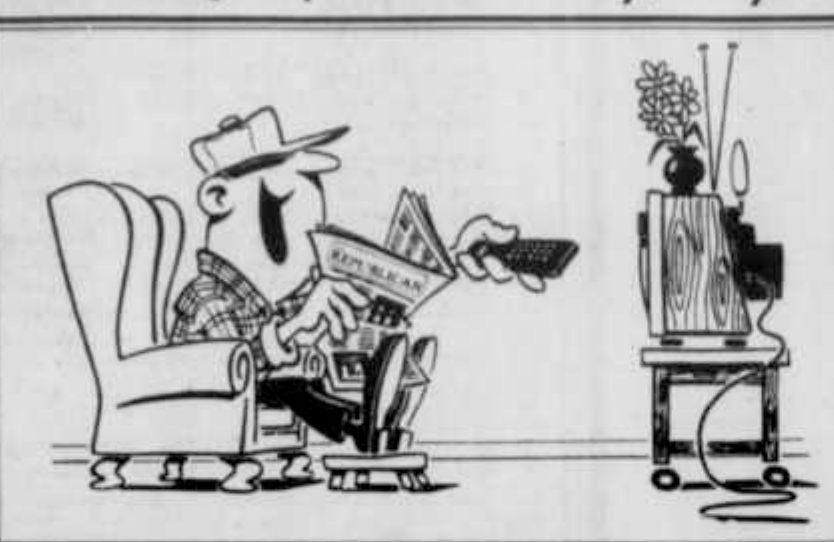
Dear Reader: You go, girl!

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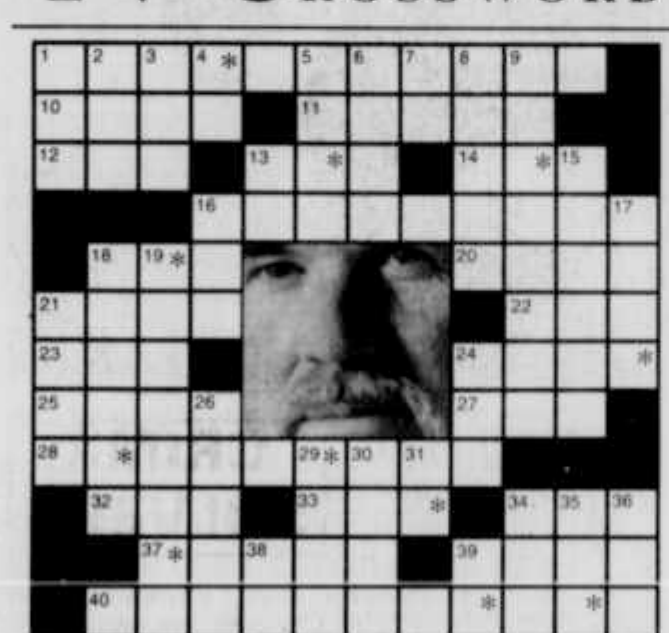
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- ACROSS
- Actor in 7th Heaven (2)
 - My Dead Body (1990-91)
 - Reserved
 - The News Bears
 - Wild party
 - Spots
 - Dei purchase
 - Jeff Foxworthy's co-star (2)
 - End of each "Old MacDonald" verse
 - Prefix for system or sphere
 - The and the Kid (1975-76)
 - Original
 - Delany of China Beach (1988-91)
 - Actress in Star Trek: Voyager (2)
- DOWN
- Hope
 - Role on Evening Shade (1990-94)
 - Barber's Corner (1949-58)
 - B&O, for one
 - A December, 1973
 - Sidney Poller film
 - Homecoming attendee, for short
 - Hart-Hart connector



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Daytime Programs

- MORNING
- 7:00 am (2) News
- (1) Good Morning America
- (1) This Morning
- (1) Today
- (1) Feed the Children (Mon)
- (1) Winning Walk (Tue)
- (1) In Touch (Wed)
- (1) Love Worth Finding (Thu)
- (1) Jack Van Impe (Fri)
- (1) Spider-Man
- (1) Sesame Street
- (1) Daybreak
- (1) Grind
- (1) Sportscenter
- (1) FOX Sports News
- (1) Real Adventures of Jonny Quest
- (1) Inspector Gadget
- (1) Paid Program
- (1) Everyday Workout
- (1) American Revolution (Mon)
- (1) Classroom (Tue-Fri)
- (1) Down Wit' Droopy D
- (1) Droids
- (1) Super Mario Bros. All Stars (Mon-Thurs)
- (1) Street Fighter (Fri)
- (1) Gargoyles
- (1) Gotta Sweat (Mon-Thurs)
- (1) Big Event: Kentucky Derby Week (Fri)
- 7:05 am (1) Scooby-Doo Mysteries
- 7:15 am (1) Movie (Tue) "The Mud-lark"
- 7:30 am (1) Andy Griffith
- (1) Mask
- (1) Benny Hinn
- (1) Arthur
- (1) Popular Videos People Prefer
- (1) Bugs Bunny, Bugs Bunny
- (1) Alvin and the Chipmunks
- (1) Movie (Thu) "It's in the Bag"
- (1) Paid Program
- (1) Daily Workout
- (1) Cartoon-A-Doodle-Do
- (1) Captain Scarlet (Mon-Wed)
- (1) Stingray (Thu-Fri)
- (1) Street Sharks (Mon-Thurs)
- (1) Wing Commander Academy (Fri)
- (1) Spider-Man
- (1) Fitness Beach (Mon-Thurs)
- 7:35 am (1) Scooby-Doo Mysteries
- 7:45 am (1) Movie (Mon) "Trail of Robin Hood"
- (1) Marlene Dietrich: Shadow and Light (Wed)
- 8:00 am (1) This Morning
- (1) Bugs 'n' Daffy
- (1) Best Wags (Mon-Tue)
- (1) Sportscenter
- (1) VOR-Tech (Wed)
- (1) Reboot (Thu)
- (1) Mister Rogers
- (1) Music That Ministers (Mon)
- (1) Faith Works Telethon (Tue-Fri)
- (1) Father Dowling Mysteries
- (1) Barney & Friends
- (1) Sportscenter
- (1) FOX Sports News
- (1) Scooby-Doo
- (1) Looney Tunes
- (1) Movie (Fri) "Force of Arms"
- (1) Paid Program
- (1) What Every Baby Knows
- (1) Columbo (Mon, Thu)
- (1) McMillan and Wife (Tue, Fri)
- (1) McCloud (Wed)
- (1) Yogi's Gang (Mon)
- (1) Yogi's Space Race (Tue-Thurs)
- (1) Yogi's Treasure Hunt (Fri)
- (1) Squawk Box
- (1) New Adventures of Giganter (Mon-Thurs)
- (1) Odyssey (Fri)
- (1) Dark Shadows
- (1) Movie (Mon) "Working Girl"
- (1) The Fabulous Baker Boy (Wed)
- (1) Contract for Murder (Thu)
- (1) Deconstructing Sarah (Fri)
- (1) "Deadly Illusion"
- (1) Talk America (Mon, Wed, Fri)
- (1) Gotta Sweat (Mon-Wed)
- (1) Soccer (Thu)
- (1) Cash Flow (Tue, Thu)
- (1) Andy Griffith
- (1) Movie (Tue) "The Westerner"
- (1) Paid Program
- (1) Puzzle Place
- (1) Home Life (Mon)
- (1) FIT TV
- (1) Kratts' Creatures
- (1) Movie Videos
- (1) Paid Program (Fri)
- (1) Gullah Gullah Island
- (1) Movie (Fri) "The Adventures of Tom Sawyer"
- (1) Our Home
- (1) Dark Shadows
- (1) Consumer Resources
- (1) Williams TV (Tue)
- (1) Paid Program (Thu)
- (1) MDS Trade (Fri)
- (1) Fitness Beach (Mon-Wed)
- (1) Andy Griffith
- (1) Bodyshaping (Mon-Thurs)
- (1) Bewitched
- (1) Burns and Allen
- (1) Shorty (Wed)
- (1) Gordon Elliott
- (1) Live - Regis & Kathie Lee
- (1) Andy Griffith
- (1) Woody Woodpecker
- (1) In Person With Maureen O'Boyle
- (1) Fox After Breakfast
- (1) Montel Williams
- (1) Sesame Street
- (1) New Perspective With Richard and Lindsey Roberts (Mon)
- (1) Waltons
- (1) VideoMorning
- (1) Sportscenter
- (1) Paid Program
- (1) Flintstones
- (1) Rugrats
- (1) Movie (Mon) "Showdown at Abilene" (Tue) "Mame" (Thurs)
- (1) Down Argentine Way
- (1) Assignment Discovery
- (1) Sisters
- (1) Fantastic Max
- (1) Lost in Space (Thu-Fri)
- (1) Murder, She Wrote
- (1) Crunch Fitness (Mon-Thurs)
- (1) Prolong (Mon, Wed)
- (1) Talk America (Tue, Thu)
- (1) Haven (Fri)
- (1) Flex Appeal (Mon-Wed)
- (1) Run for the Roses (Fri)
- (1) Little House on the Prairie
- (1) I Love Lucy
- (1) Paul Gaudino Exercise (Mon)
- (1) Magic School Bus
- (1) Paid Program
- (1) Flintstones
- (1) Busy World of Richard Scarry
- (1) Movie (Wed) "Auntie Mame"
- (1) Banack (Mon)
- (1) Shores
- (1) Co-Ed Training (Mon-Thurs)
- (1) In Person With Maureen O'Boyle
- (1) Maury
- (1) Dating Game
- (1) Baywatch
- (1) Andy Griffith
- (1) Jenny Jones
- (1) 700 Club
- (1) Barney & Friends
- (1) 700 Club (Mon)
- (1) Vid Kid Field Trip: National Aquarium in Baltimore (Mon)
- (1) Vid Kid Stayed: The Day the World Faded in Bed (Tue)
- (1) Puzzle Place (Wed-Fri)
- (1) Sportscenter
- (1) Major League Baseball (Mon-Thurs)
- (1) Paid Program (Fri)
- (1) Gilligan's Island
- (1) Rugrats
- (1) Movie (Fri) "This Love of Ours"
- (1) Home Matters
- (1) Made by Design
- (1) Cosby Mysteries (Wed-Fri)
- (1) Money Wheel
- (1) Voyage to the Bottom of the Sea
- (1) Wings
- (1) Perfection (Mon-Thurs)
- (1) Three's Company
- (1) Newlywed Game
- (1) Empty Nest
- (1) Shining Time Station
- (1) Big Comfy Couch
- (1) Paid Program (Fri)
- (1) Gilligan's Island
- (1) Muppet Babies
- (1) Movie (Mon) "Let's Make Love" (Thurs) "Once More, My Darling"
- (1) Frugal Gourmet
- (1) Pound Puppies
- (1) Wings
- (1) Crunch Fitness (Mon-Thurs)
- (1) Mama's Family
- (1) Sally
- (1) Leeza
- (1) In the Heat of the Night
- (1) Paid Program
- (1) Carry & Marilyn: Real Friends
- (1) Mister Rogers
- (1) Portrait of Marriage (Mon)
- (1) Faith Works Telethon Continue (Tue-Fri)
- (1) Barney & Friends
- (1) Dallas
- (1) Singled Out
- (1) Sportscenter
- (1) Paid Program (Fri)
- (1) Spenser: For Hire
- (1) Alagna's Window
- (1) Housemart!
- (1) Our Home
- (1) Mike Hammer (Mon-Wed, Fri)
- (1) New Mike Hammer (Thurs)
- (1) New Scooby Doo Movies
- (1) Dark Shadows
- (1) Movie (Mon) "Working Girl"
- (1) The Fabulous Baker Boy (Wed)
- (1) Contract for Murder (Thu)
- (1) Deconstructing Sarah (Fri)
- (1) "Deadly Illusion"
- (1) Talk America (Mon, Wed, Fri)
- (1) Gotta Sweat (Mon-Wed)
- (1) Soccer (Thu)
- (1) Cash Flow (Tue, Thu)
- (1) Andy Griffith
- (1) Movie (Tue) "The Westerner"
- (1) Paid Program
- (1) Puzzle Place
- (1) Home Life (Mon)
- (1) FIT TV
- (1) Kratts' Creatures
- (1) Movie Videos
- (1) Paid Program (Fri)
- (1) Gullah Gullah Island
- (1) Movie (Fri) "The Adventures of Tom Sawyer"
- (1) Our Home
- (1) Dark Shadows
- (1) Consumer Resources
- (1) Williams TV (Tue)
- (1) Paid Program (Thu)
- (1) MDS Trade (Fri)
- (1) Fitness Beach (Mon-Wed)
- (1) Andy Griffith
- (1) News
- (1) Gerardo Rivera
- (1) Sunset Beach
- (1) Step by Step
- (1) Sesame Street
- (1) Worship (Mon)
- (1) Rescue 911
- (1) Kidsongs
- (1) Aleene's Crafts
- (1) Sportscenter
- (1) Women's Soccer (Fri)
- (1) CHiPs
- (1) Little Bear
- (1) Movie (Wed) "Days of Wine and Roses"
- (1) Start to Finish
- (1) Martha Stewart Living
- (1) Quincy
- (1) Seniors
- (1) Inside Opinion
- (1) Ripley's Believe It or Not
- (1) Prolong (Mon, Wed)
- (1) Talk America (Tue, Thu)
- (1) Haven (Fri)
- (1) Flex Appeal (Mon-Wed)
- (1) Run for the Roses (Fri)
- (1) Mallico (Mon-Wed, Fri)
- (1) Andy Griffith (Thu)
- (1) Movie (Thu) "The Mud-lark"
- (1) Judge Judy
- (1) Access Hollywood
- (1) Major League Baseball (Tue)
- (1) Blossom
- (1) America's Funniest Home Videos
- (1) Life Lessons (Mon)
- (1) Mister Rogers
- (1) Blue's Clues
- (1) Movie (Mon) "Francis Joins the WACS"
- (1) Interior Motives
- (1) Main Ingredient
- (1) Tom and Jerry Kids (Mon-Thurs)
- (1) Tom and Jerry (Wed)
- (1) Power Lunch
- (1) Embracer (Mon)
- (1) Paid Program (Tue)
- (1) Passion, Profit & Power! (Wed)
- (1) Plus Italy (Thu)
- (1) Money Makers Live (Fri)
- (1) Bodyshaping (Mon-Wed)
- (1) Run for the Roses (Fri)
- (1) 4 All My Children
- (1) Days of Our Lives
- (1) News
- (1) Doogie Howser, M.D.
- (1) Sunset Beach
- (1) Storyline
- (1) Getting Together (Mon)
- (1) Home & Family
- (1) Reading Rainbow
- (1) Wildhorse Saloon
- (1) Indie Outing (Mon)
- (1) Auto Racing (Mon-Thurs)
- (1) Latin Futbol Weekly (Wed)
- (1) Legends of the Brickyard (Fri)
- (1) Cycle World (Mon, Thu)
- (1) Golf (Tue-Fri)
- (1) Thunder in Paradise
- (1) Busy World of Richard Scarry
- (1) Movie (Tue) "The Brave One" (Fri) "O. Henry's Full House"
- (1) Home Matters
- (1) Supermarket Sweep
- (1) Law & Order
- (1) Flintstones
- (1) Mysteries, Magic & Miracles
- (1) USA Live With People's Court (Tue-Fri)
- (1) 700 Club
- (1) Fabulous Sports Babe (Mon-Thurs)
- (1) Run for the Roses (Fri)
- (1) Movie (Mon) "Menil's Marauders" (Tue) "The Bridges at Toko-Ri" (Wed) "Men of the Fighting Lady" (Fri) "Cahill, U.S. Marshal"
- (1) Bold and the Beautiful
- (1) Full House
- (1) Start to Finish
- (1) Columbo (Mon)
- (1) Banack (Tue)
- (1) SWAT Kats: The Radical Squadron
- (1) Golf (Fri)
- (1) Papa Beaver Stories
- (1) Movie (Wed) "Days of Wine and Roses"
- (1) Debt
- (1) Flintstone Kids
- (1) Monsters
- (1) USA Live
- (1) Run for the Roses (Fri)
- (1) USA Live With Love Connection
- (1) As the World Turns
- (1) One Life to Live
- (1) Barney & Friends
- (1) At Home With Arlene (Mon)
- (1) Faith Works Telethon (Tue-Fri)
- (1) Dinosaurs
- (1) Movie (Mon) "National Lampoon's Vacation"
- (1) Takes Two (Tue-Fri)
- (1) Washburn
- (1) Dallas
- (1) Afternoon Jams
- (1) Cheerleading (Mon)
- (1) X-Files (Wed)
- (1) NBA Fantasy Series (Thurs)
- (1) Sportsman's Showcase (Mon)
- (1) Links Illustrated (Tue)
- (1) This is the PGA Tour (Wed)
- (1) Movie (Mon) "They Were Vorst" (Tue) "Welcome to Hard Times" (Wed) "Run for Cover" (Thurs) "The Burning Hills" (Fri) "The Chicks at Feather River" (Sat) "Alvin and the Chipmunks" (Sun) "A Hard Day's Night" (Mon)
- (1) Great Chefs - Great Cities (Mon, Wed, Fri)
- (1) Great Chefs of the South (Tue, Thurs)
- (1) Commish
- (1) Cosby Mysteries (Wed-Fri)
- (1) Thundercats
- (1) Market Wrap
- (1) Bionic Woman
- (1) MacGyver
- (1) Auto Racing (Mon-Thurs)
- (1) Power Rangers Turbo
- (1) Hard Copy
- (1) Access Hollywood
- (1) Wishbone
- (1) Sunshiny Day (Mon)
- (1) TV's Bloopers and Practical Jokes (Tue-Fri)
- (1) Magic School Bus
- (1) NBA Finals Films (Mon-Thurs)
- (1) Larry Nixon's Fishing Lessons (Mon)
- (1) This is the PGA Tour (Tue)
- (1) Inspector Gadget
- (1) Great Chefs - Great Cities (Mon-Thurs)
- (1) Great Chefs of the South (Wed, Fri)
- (1) Super Adventures
- (1) California Dreams
- (1) Voltron: Defender of the Universe
- (1) News
- (1) Extra
- (1) Coach
- (1) Family Matters (Mon, Wed, Fri)
- (1) Inside Edition
- (1) Full House
- (1) Hard Copy
- (1) Where in Time Is Carmen Sandiego?
- (1) Gospel Bill (Mon)
- (1) Faith Works Telethon Continue (Tue-Fri)
- (1) Carson's Comedy Classics (Tue-Fri)
- (1) Kratts' Creatures
- (1) Wildhorse Saloon
- (1) Run for the Roses (Mon-Thurs)
- (1) Kentucky Derby Draw (Wed)
- (1) Horse Racing (Fri)
- (1) Fishing University (Mon)
- (1) Kidsports (Wed)
- (1) Horse Racing (Thu-Fri)
- (1) Am You Araid of the Dark? (Fri) "The World in His Arms" (Fri)
- (1) Travelers
- (1) Golden Girls
- (1) Mike Hammer (Mon-Wed, Fri)
- (1) New Mike Hammer (Thurs)
- (1) Six Million Dollar Man
- (1) Wings
- (1) Step by Step
- (1) Auto Racing (Fri)
- (1) Saved by the Bell
- (1) Tenth Inning (Tue)
- (1) Super Adventures
- (1) News
- (1) California Dreams (Mon-Wed, Fri)
- (1) Step by Step
- (1) Bill Nye the Science Guy
- (1) In Your Face (Mon)
- (1) Carson's Comedy Classics (Tue-Fri)
- (1) Music Videos
- (1) NBA Inside Stuff (Mon)
- (1) NBA Today (Tue)
- (1) Run for the Roses (Thurs)
- (1) Players Show (Mon)
- (1) Golfing in the Mid-Atlantic (Tue)
- (1) MAC Now (Wed)
- (1) This Week in Baseball (Thurs)
- (1) To Be Announced (Fri)
- (1) Roscoe's Modern Life
- (1) Movie (Mon) "The Virgin" (Tue) "Help" (Thurs) "Whispering Smith" (Fri)
- (1) Golden Girls
- (1) Real Adventures of Jonny Quest
- (1) Wings
- (1) Hangin' With Mr. Cooper
- (1) Saved by the Bell
- (1) Tenth Inning (Tue)
- (1) News
- (1) Saved by the Bell
- (1) Fresh Prince of Bel-Air
- (1) Kratts' Creatures
- (1) Lightmusic (Mon)
- (1) Carol Burnett and Friends

Listings

- (1) Fitness America Pageant (Mon-Wed)
- (1) Horse Racing (Fri)
- 3:35 pm (1) Flintstones
- 3:45 pm (1) USA Live
- 4:00 pm (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Rosie O'Donnell
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Oprah Winfrey
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Dr. Quinn, Medicine Woman
- (1) Beverly Hills, 90210 (Mon, Wed, Fri)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Bad Beetleborgs
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Real TV
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Simpsons
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Reading Rainbow
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Kingdom Adventure (Mon)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Movie (Mon) "National Lampoon's Vacation"
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Takes Two (Tue-Fri)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Washburn
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Dallas
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Afternoon Jams
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Cheerleading (Mon)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) X-Files (Wed)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) NBA Fantasy Series (Thurs)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Sportsman's Showcase (Mon)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Links Illustrated (Tue)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) This is the PGA Tour (Wed)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Movie (Mon) "They Were Vorst" (Tue) "Welcome to Hard Times" (Wed) "Run for Cover" (Thurs) "The Burning Hills" (Fri) "The Chicks at Feather River" (Sat) "Alvin and the Chipmunks" (Sun) "A Hard Day's Night" (Mon)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Great Chefs - Great Cities (Mon, Wed, Fri)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Great Chefs of the South (Tue, Thurs)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Commish
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Cosby Mysteries (Wed-Fri)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Thundercats
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Market Wrap
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Bionic Woman
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) MacGyver
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Auto Racing (Mon-Thurs)
- 4:30 pm (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Power Rangers Turbo
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Hard Copy
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Access Hollywood
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Wishbone
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Sunshiny Day (Mon)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) TV's Bloopers and Practical Jokes (Tue-Fri)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Magic School Bus
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) NBA Finals Films (Mon-Thurs)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Larry Nixon's Fishing Lessons (Mon)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) This is the PGA Tour (Tue)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Inspector Gadget
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Great Chefs - Great Cities (Mon-Thurs)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Great Chefs of the South (Wed, Fri)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Super Adventures
- 4:35 pm (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) California Dreams
- 4:45 pm (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Voltron: Defender of the Universe
- 5:00 pm (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) News
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Extra
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Coach
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Family Matters (Mon, Wed, Fri)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Inside Edition
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Full House
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Hard Copy
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Where in Time Is Carmen Sandiego?
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Gospel Bill (Mon)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Faith Works Telethon Continue (Tue-Fri)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Carson's Comedy Classics (Tue-Fri)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Kratts' Creatures
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Wildhorse Saloon
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Run for the Roses (Mon-Thurs)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Kentucky Derby Draw (Wed)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Horse Racing (Fri)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Fishing University (Mon)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Kidsports (Wed)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Horse Racing (Thu-Fri)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Am You Araid of the Dark? (Fri) "The World in His Arms" (Fri)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Travelers
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Golden Girls
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Mike Hammer (Mon-Wed, Fri)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) New Mike Hammer (Thurs)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Six Million Dollar Man
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Wings
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Step by Step
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Auto Racing (Fri)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Saved by the Bell
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Tenth Inning (Tue)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Super Adventures
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) News
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) California Dreams (Mon-Wed, Fri)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Step by Step
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Bill Nye the Science Guy
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) In Your Face (Mon)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Carson's Comedy Classics (Tue-Fri)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) Music Videos
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) NBA Inside Stuff (Mon)
- (1) (2) (3) (4) (5) NBA Today (Tue)

Daytime

- 12:30 News With Jim Lehrer
 1:00 Club Dance
 1:30 Up Close
 2:00 FOX Sports News
 2:30 In the Heat of the Night
 3:00 Clarissa Explains It All
 3:30 Movie Magic
 4:00 Supermarket Sweep
 4:30 Quince
 5:00 Super Friends
 5:30 Bull Session
 6:00 Odyssey (Mon)
 6:30 Twilight Zone (Tue-Fri)
 7:00 Renegade
 7:30 Simpsons
 8:00 Walker's Cay Chronicles (Mon)
 8:30 Sportsman's Digest (Tue)
 9:00 American Outback (Thu)
 9:30 6:05 pm Family Matters
 9:35 pm ABC World News Tonight
 10:00 CBS Evening News
 10:30 11:00 11:30 NBC Nightly News
 12:00 Saved by the Bell
 12:30 Home Improvement
 1:00 11:30 Nightly Business Report
 1:30 700 Club (Mon)
 2:00 Carol Burnett and Friends
 2:30 24 Hours in Rock (Fri)
 3:00 Sportscenter
 3:30 Sportsbeat (Mon-Wed)
 4:00 Tiny Toon Adventures
 4:30 Next Step
 5:00 Debt
 5:30 Taz-Mania
 6:00 Business Tonight
 6:30 Sci-Fi Trader's Cool Stuff From the Cosmos (Mon)
 7:00 Tales From the Darkside (Tue-Fri)
 7:30 Simpsons
 8:00 Glory Days (Mon, Thu)
 8:30 Inside Monster Jam (Tue)
 9:00 Go Kart Racing (Wed)
 9:30 Family Matters

Spotlight

Cable Conversion Guide

Your TV Channel	Triax Cablevision	SRW	Somerset
1	KDKA (Pittsburgh) (CBS)	KDKA (CBS)	KDKA (CBS)
2	Local Access Channel	TNT	TNT
3	WTAE (Pittsburgh) (ABC)	WTAE (ABC)	WTAE (ABC)
4	WPTV (Pittsburgh) (CBS)	WPTV (CBS)	WPTV (CBS)
5	WTAE (Pittsburgh) (ABC)	WTAE (ABC)	WTAE (ABC)
6	WTAE (Pittsburgh) (ABC)	WTAE (ABC)	WTAE (ABC)
7	WTAE (Pittsburgh) (ABC)	WTAE (ABC)	WTAE (ABC)
8	WTAE (Pittsburgh) (ABC)	WTAE (ABC)	WTAE (ABC)
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10	WTAE (Pittsburgh) (ABC)	WTAE (ABC)	WTAE (ABC)
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17	WTAE (Pittsburgh) (ABC)	WTAE (ABC)	WTAE (ABC)
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19	WTAE (Pittsburgh) (ABC)	WTAE (ABC)	WTAE (ABC)
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21	WTAE (Pittsburgh) (ABC)	WTAE (ABC)	WTAE (ABC)
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TV-PIPELINE

By Taylor Michaels
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Q: We are greatly enjoying *Everybody Loves Raymond*, but can't remember where else we have seen Doris Roberts, who plays Ray's mother, Marie. Can you help?

A: Roberts, a TV, movie and stage veteran, has a prodigious list of credits, but I bet you remember her either for her Emmy-nominated turn as Mildred Krebs, the receptionist on *Remington Steele*, or as the title character's mother on *Angie*, which also starred Donna Pescow and Robert Hayes.

St. Elsewhere fans still talk about her heartbreaking performance in an episode called "Corra and Arnie," for which both she and her old friend and costar James Coco won Emmys.

Her many other TV credits include *Rhoda*, *All in the Family*, *Sweet Justice* and *Mary Hartman, Mary Hartman*.

Q: A few years ago I first heard that a big-screen version of *Lost in Space* was in the works. What gives?

A: Looks as if the long-delayed movie is about to begin production with a cast that includes, among others, William Hurt, Mimi Rogers, Gary Oldman and Matt LeBlanc in the roles originally played by Guy Williams, June Lockhart, Jonathan Harris and Mark Goddard.

Q: Does Paul Gross (of *Due South*) have plans for any future TV series? —Pat Shank, Lampeter, Pa.

A: As reported here recently, Gross still is under contract to *Due South*, which remains in production for Canadian viewers. For the third season, Gross will be both producing and writing for the series, as well as starring as Constable Benton Fraser.

Q: Is Robert Shaw from *Jaws* still alive? If not, when and how did he die? —George Blair II, Canton, Ohio.

A: Shaw, who also starred in *A Man for All Seasons*, died in 1979. He was in his early 50s. Film historian Kenneth Halliwell blames heavy drinking for Shaw's early death.

Q: I have a general interest in TV Pipeline. TVData Features Syndicate, Northway Plaza, Queensbury, N.Y. 12804, or e-mail to tvpipeline@tvdata.com. Only questions selected for this column will be answered. Personal replies cannot be sent.

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SUNDAY MORNING APRIL 27, 1997

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CBS	Hayes-Freeland	Teaching of Christ	Home Again (R)	Sunday Business Page	Sunday Morning		Face the Nation	Showcase of Homes	Martha Stewart Living	H Plus Beauty System	Sobakawa	Tennis: U.S. Open	
WTAE	Brand Spanking New Doug	Brand Spanking New Doug	News	News	News	Good Morning America	This Week	News	News	News	News	News	60 Minutes (In Stereo)
CBS	Martha Stewart Living	Haven (In Stereo)	Wings of Faith	Sunday Morning		Meet the Press	Hour of Power	Benjo System Revision 5	Pink & the Brain	Confidential	Food 4-Pay	MotorWeek	Tennis: U.S. Open
NBC	In Touch	Today (In Stereo)	Meet the Press	Hour of Power	Benjo System Revision 5	Pink & the Brain	Confidential	Food 4-Pay	MotorWeek	Tennis: U.S. Open			
WGN	Oral Roberts	Duffy Duck	Animaniacs	Superman	Boyz n the Mothz (In Stereo)	Road Rovers	Wayhead	Animaniacs	Animaniacs	Animaniacs	Animaniacs	Animaniacs	Nick Freno: Licensed Teacher
NBC	Echoes of Hope	Your New Home (R)	Today (In Stereo)	Meet the Press	Hour of Power	Benjo System Revision 5	Pink & the Brain	Confidential	Food 4-Pay	MotorWeek	Tennis: U.S. Open		
TBS	Scooby Doo Where Are You?	New Adv. of Captain Planet	Jetsons	Flintstones	Flintstones	Saved by Bell	Family Matters	Family Matters	Family Matters	Family Matters	Family Matters	Family Matters	Family Matters
FOX	Dr. James	Church of God	Skyrunner Strike Force	Street Sharks (In Stereo)	Space Monkeys	Street Sharks (In Stereo)	Street Sharks (In Stereo)	Street Sharks (In Stereo)	Street Sharks (In Stereo)	Street Sharks (In Stereo)	Street Sharks (In Stereo)	Street Sharks (In Stereo)	Street Sharks (In Stereo)
NBC	Hour of Power	News	News	News	News	News	Meet the Press	Northwest Guide to Homes	NBA Showtime	NBA Showtime	NBA Showtime	NBA Showtime	NBA Showtime
NBC	Alive Today	Evangelical Outreach	Amazing Grace	What Does Bible Say?	R.G. Hardy	Day of Discovery	Congregational Church	Carleton Shalea Real Estate	Meet the Press	Reading Rainbow	Magical School Bus	Arthur: My Club Rules	Where's Carmen Sandiego
PBS	Sesame Street	Barney & Friends	Lamb Chop's Play-Along	Mister Rogers	Sesame Street	Sesame Street	Sesame Street	Sesame Street	Sesame Street	Sesame Street	Sesame Street	Sesame Street	Sesame Street
IND	In Touch	R.W. Schambach	Ben Haden	Winning Walk	Jack Hayford	Jack Hayford	Jack Hayford	Jack Hayford	Jack Hayford	Jack Hayford	Jack Hayford	Jack Hayford	Jack Hayford
FAM	Ben Haden	James Kennedy	In Touch	Animal Adventures	Animal Adventures	Animal Adventures	Animal Adventures	Animal Adventures	Animal Adventures	Animal Adventures	Animal Adventures	Animal Adventures	Animal Adventures
PBS	Shining Time Station	Theodore Tugboat	Barney & Friends	Sesame Street	Wishbone	Wishbone	Wishbone	Wishbone	Wishbone	Wishbone	Wishbone	Wishbone	Wishbone
NASH	(Off Air)				Shadette Mechanic	Shadette Mechanic	Shadette Mechanic	Shadette Mechanic	Shadette Mechanic	Shadette Mechanic	Shadette Mechanic	Shadette Mechanic	Shadette Mechanic
MTV	(6:00) Music Videos				Beavis and Butt-head's Video	Beavis and Butt-head's Video	Beavis and Butt-head's Video	Beavis and Butt-head's Video	Beavis and Butt-head's Video	Beavis and Butt-head's Video	Beavis and Butt-head's Video	Beavis and Butt-head's Video	Beavis and Butt-head's Video
ESPN	Inside the PGA	Inside the PGA	ESPN News	ESPN News	ESPN News	ESPN News	ESPN News	ESPN News	ESPN News	ESPN News	ESPN News	ESPN News	ESPN News
KBL	FOX Sports News	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program
TNT	Rudy & Gogo	Flintstones	Taz-Mania	Scooby Doo	Gilligan's Island	In the Heat of the Night	In the Heat of the Night	In the Heat of the Night	In the Heat of the Night	In the Heat of the Night	In the Heat of the Night	In the Heat of the Night	In the Heat of the Night
NICK	Archie	Family Double Dare	Muppet Babies	Tiny Toons	Looney Tunes	Rugrats	Angry Beavers	Hey Arnold!	Asah!!!	Real Monsters	My Brother and Me	My Brother and Me	My Brother and Me
AMC	Marshall	House on Haunted Hill	House on Haunted Hill	House on Haunted Hill	House on Haunted Hill	House on Haunted Hill	House on Haunted Hill	House on Haunted Hill	House on Haunted Hill	House on Haunted Hill	House on Haunted Hill	House on Haunted Hill	House on Haunted Hill
DISC	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program
LIFE	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program
A&E	Movie: "The Three Musketeers"	Movie: "The Three Musketeers"	Movie: "The Three Musketeers"	Movie: "The Three Musketeers"	Movie: "The Three Musketeers"	Movie: "The Three Musketeers"	Movie: "The Three Musketeers"	Movie: "The Three Musketeers"	Movie: "The Three Musketeers"	Movie: "The Three Musketeers"	Movie: "The Three Musketeers"	Movie: "The Three Musketeers"	Movie: "The Three Musketeers"
TOON	Small World	Big Bag "The Imaginary Treasure"	Bugs & Daffy	Tom and Jerry	Tex Avery	Rocky & Bullwinkle	Underdog	New Scooby Doo Movies	Don Coyote				
CNBC	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program
SCIFI	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program
USA	Mighty Max	Double Dragon	Action Man	Ultraforce	Street Fighter	Mortal Kombat	Defenders	Wing Commander	Wing Commander	Wing Commander	Wing Commander	Wing Commander	Wing Commander
WWCP	Plus Plus	Williams TV	Jimmy Swagart	Fox News Sunday	Consumer Resources	Talk America	Wrestling	Wrestling	Wrestling	Wrestling	Wrestling	Wrestling	Wrestling
ESPN2	Auto Racing	Auto Racing	FIA Formula One - San Marino Grand Prix	Auto Racing	NASCAR	Winston Cup	Winston Cup	Winston Cup	Winston Cup	Winston Cup	Winston Cup	Winston Cup	Winston Cup

SUNDAY EVENING APRIL 27, 1997

	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00
CBS	Touched by an Angel	A Match Made in Heaven	A Match Made in Heaven	A Match Made in Heaven	A Match Made in Heaven	A Match Made in Heaven	A Match Made in Heaven	A Match Made in Heaven	A Match Made in Heaven	A Match Made in Heaven	A Match Made in Heaven	A Match Made in Heaven	A Match Made in Heaven
WTAE	Turning Point	Mountain Without Mercy	Mountain Without Mercy	Mountain Without Mercy	Mountain Without Mercy	Mountain Without Mercy	Mountain Without Mercy	Mountain Without Mercy	Mountain Without Mercy	Mountain Without Mercy	Mountain Without Mercy	Mountain Without Mercy	Mountain Without Mercy
CBS	Touched by an Angel	A Match Made in Heaven	A Match Made in Heaven	A Match Made in Heaven	A Match Made in Heaven	A Match Made in Heaven	A Match Made in Heaven	A Match Made in Heaven	A Match Made in Heaven	A Match Made in Heaven	A Match Made in Heaven	A Match Made in Heaven	A Match Made in Heaven
NBC	3rd Rock from the Sun	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild
WGN	Parent Hood	Steve Harvey	Unhappy Ever After	Unhappy Ever After	Unhappy Ever After	Unhappy Ever After	Unhappy Ever After	Unhappy Ever After	Unhappy Ever After	Unhappy Ever After	Unhappy Ever After	Unhappy Ever After	Unhappy Ever After
NBC	3rd Rock from the Sun	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild
TBS	(7:00) National Geographic Explorer	Coming Plague Part II	Coming Plague Part II	Coming Plague Part II	Coming Plague Part II	Coming Plague Part II	Coming Plague Part II	Coming Plague Part II	Coming Plague Part II	Coming Plague Part II	Coming Plague Part II	Coming Plague Part II	Coming Plague Part II
FOX	Simpsons	King of the Hill	X-Files	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld	Seinfeld
NBC	3rd Rock from the Sun	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild
NBC	3rd Rock from the Sun	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild	The River Wild
PBS	Nature: "Sperm Whales"	Masterpiece Theatre: "The Buccaneers"	Masterpiece Theatre: "The Buccaneers"	Masterpiece Theatre: "The Buccaneers"	Masterpiece Theatre: "The Buccaneers"	Masterpiece Theatre: "The Buccaneers"	Masterpiece Theatre: "The Buccaneers"	Masterpiece Theatre: "The Buccaneers"	Masterpiece Theatre: "The Buccaneers"	Masterpiece Theatre: "The Buccaneers"	Masterpiece Theatre: "The Buccaneers"	Masterpiece Theatre: "The Buccaneers"	Masterpiece Theatre: "The Buccaneers"
IND	Central Baptist Church	Day of Discovery	King is Coming	John Ankerberg	Cross Country	Bob Larson	It's Supernatural	His Place	Getting Together	Cope			
FAM	Movie: "The Godfather"	Movie: "The Godfather"	Movie: "The Godfather"	Movie: "The Godfather"	Movie: "The Godfather"	Movie: "The Godfather"	Movie: "The Godfather"	Movie: "The Godfather"	Movie: "The Godfather"	Movie: "The Godfather"	Movie: "The Godfather"	Movie: "The Godfather"	Movie: "The Godfather"
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NASH	Go Fish	Back Road	Championship Bull Riding	Race Day	NASCAR	Ready for the Road	Auto Racing	Auto Racing	Auto Racing	Auto Racing	Auto Racing	Auto Racing	Auto Racing
MTV	Road Rules	Road Rules	To Be Announced	World Tour	From the Bin	Jenny McCarthy	120 Minutes	Baseball Tonight	Tennis: ATP Monte Carlo Open	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter
ESPN	Major League Baseball	Los Angeles Dodgers at Florida Marlins	Los Angeles Dodgers at Florida Marlins	Los Angeles Dodgers at Florida Marlins	Los Angeles Dodgers at Florida Marlins	Los Angeles Dodgers at Florida Marlins	Los Angeles Dodgers at Florida Marlins	Los Angeles Dodgers at Florida Marlins	Los Angeles Dodgers at Florida Marlins	Los Angeles Dodgers at Florida Marlins	Los Angeles Dodgers at Florida Marlins	Los Angeles Dodgers at Florida Marlins	Los Angeles Dodgers at Florida Marlins
KBL	Tennis: ATP Bermuda Open	Final: From Bermuda	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News
TNT	7:30 In the Heat of the Night	NBA Pregame	NBA Basketball Playoffs	Teams to Be Announced	Teams to Be Announced	Teams to Be Announced	Teams to Be Announced	Teams to Be Announced	Teams to Be Announced	Teams to Be Announced	Teams to Be Announced	Teams to Be Announced	Teams to Be Announced
NICK	Wubulous World of Dr. Seuss	Nick News	Happy Days	Munsters	Odd Couple	Dick Van Dyke	Newhart	Bob Newhart	Taxi	Rhoda	Phyllis	Booby White	Paid Program
AMC	Movie: "The Godfather"	Movie: "The Godfather"	Movie: "The Godfather"	Movie: "The Godfather"	Movie: "The Godfather"	Movie: "The Godfather"	Movie: "The Godfather"	Movie: "The Godfather"	Movie: "The Godfather"	Movie: "The Godfather"	Movie: "The Godfather"	Movie: "The Godfather"	Movie: "The Godfather"
DISC	Wild Discovery	Wild Discovery	Wild Discovery	Wild Discovery	Wild Discovery	Wild Discovery	Wild Discovery	Wild Discovery	Wild Discovery	Wild Discovery	Wild Discovery	Wild Discovery	Wild Discovery
LIFE	"Seduced by Madness: The Diane Borghardt Story"	"Seduced by Madness: The Diane Borghardt Story"	"Seduced by Madness: The Diane Borghardt Story"	"Seduced by Madness: The Diane Borghardt Story"	"Seduced by Madness: The Diane Borghardt Story"	"Seduced by Madness: The Diane Borghardt Story"	"Seduced by Madness: The Diane Borghardt Story"	"Seduced by Madness: The Diane Borghardt Story"	"Seduced by Madness: The Diane Borghardt Story"	"Seduced by Madness: The Diane Borghardt Story"	"Seduced by Madness: The Diane Borghardt Story"	"Seduced by Madness: The Diane Borghardt Story"	"Seduced by Madness: The Diane Borghardt Story"
A&E	Police: The history of America's police from colonial militias to modern-day community policing	America's Castles	America's Castles	America's Castles	America's Castles	America's Castles	America's Castles	America's Castles	America's Castles	America's Castles	America's Castles	America's Castles	America's Castles
TOON	Freakazoid!	2 Stupid Dogs	Flintstones	Toonheads	Tex Avery	O Canada	Rocky & Bullwinkle	Tom and Jerry	Popeye	Bugs & Daffy	Hardball		
CNBC	M.A.N.T.I.S. "Days of the Week"	Flash "Out of Control"	Robocop: The Series	"Trouble in Delta City"	Robocop: The Series	"Trouble in Delta City"	Robocop: The Series	"Trouble in Delta City"	Robocop: The Series	"Trouble in Delta City"	Robocop: The Series	"Trouble in Delta City"	Robocop: The Series
SCIFI	Quantum Leap	Sequester "The Stranger"	Sequester "The Stranger"	Sequester "The Stranger"	Sequester "The Stranger"	Sequester "The Stranger"	Sequester "The Stranger"	Sequester "The Stranger"	Sequester "The Stranger"	Sequester "The Stranger"	Sequester "The Stranger"	Sequester "The Stranger"	Sequester "The Stranger"
USA	Highlander: The Series	"Reunion"	La Femme Nikita	"Treason"	La Femme Nikita	"Treason"	La Femme Nikita	"Treason"	La Femme Nikita	"Treason"	La Femme Nikita	"Treason"	La Femme Nikita
WWCP	Simpsons	King of the Hill	X-Files	Zero Sum	News	Sports Machine	Babylon 5	Racing Man	Two "Prom Night"	Cape "Just Like Old Times"	News	News	News
ESPN2	Auto Racing	Auto Racing	FIA Formula One - San Marino Grand Prix	Auto Racing	NASCAR	Winston Cup	Winston Cup	Winston Cup	Winston Cup	Winston Cup	Winston Cup	Winston Cup	Winston Cup

SUNDAY AFTERNOON APRIL 27, 1997

	1:30	2:00	2:30	3:00	3:30	4:00	4:30	5:00	5:30	6:00	6:30	7:00	7:30
CBS	11:00 Tennis: USTA Men's Clay Court Championships. From Orlando, Fla. (Live) [R]		PGA Golf: Greater Greensboro Classic - Final Round. From Forest Oaks Country Club in Greensboro, N.C. (Live) [R]							News	CBS Evening News	60 Minutes (In Stereo) [R]	
WTAE	1:00 Disney World Auto Racing: PPG CART World Series - Bosch Spark Plugs Grand Prix. From Nazareth Raceway, Pa. (Live) [R]			Figure Skating: Hershey's Kisses Challenge. From Greensboro, N.C.						News [R]	ABC World News Sunday [R]	To Be Announced	
CBS	11:00 Tennis: USTA Men's Clay Court Championships. From Orlando, Fla. (Live) [R]		PGA Golf: Greater Greensboro Classic - Final Round. From Forest Oaks Country Club in Greensboro, N.C. (Live) [R]							Driveline+	CBS Evening News	60 Minutes (In Stereo) [R]	
NBC	12:30 NBA Basketball Playoffs: Eastern Conference First Round Game 2 - Teams to Be Announced. [R]			NBA Basketball Playoffs: Western Conference First Round Game 2 - Teams to Be Announced. (In Stereo Live) [R]						NBA Basketball Playoffs: Eastern Conference First Round Game 2 - Teams to Be Announced. (In Stereo Live) [R]			
WGN	1:00 Kena: Lead-Off: Warior (In Princess [R])		Major League Baseball: Pittsburgh Pirates at Chicago Cubs. From Wrigley Field. (In Stereo Live)		Tenth Avenue (In Stereo)				Andy Griffith	Adventures of Simbad "Monument" (In Stereo)	Brotherly Love (In Stereo)	Nick Frodo: Licensed Teacher [R]	
NBC	12:30 NBA Basketball Playoffs: Eastern Conference First Round Game 2 - Teams to Be Announced. [R]			NBA Basketball Playoffs: Western Conference First Round Game 2 - Teams to Be Announced. (In Stereo Live) [R]						NBA Basketball Playoffs: Eastern Conference First Round Game 2 - Teams to Be Announced. (In Stereo Live) [R]			
TBS	1:05 Major League Baseball: San Diego Padres at Atlanta Braves. From Turner Field. (Live) [R]			Andy Griffith	Andy Griffith	WCW Pro Wrestling [R]	Funnist Home Videos	Funnist Home Videos	National Geographic Explorer [R]				
FOX	Movie: "Arthur" (R)		Stanley Cup Playoffs: Conference Quarterfinal Game 5 - Rangers or Dallas at Edmonton or Detroit at St. Louis. (In Stereo Live) [R]							*** "The Deep End" (LIVE, Drama) Clint Eastwood, Patricia Clarkson, Owen K. C. Kim. "Only Many faces of a racist a psychotic first but..."		World's Scariest Police Chases II (In Stereo) PA	
NBC	12:30 NBA Basketball Playoffs: Eastern Conference First Round Game 2 - Teams to Be Announced. [R]			NBA Basketball Playoffs: Western Conference First Round Game 2 - Teams to Be Announced. (In Stereo Live) [R]						NBA Basketball Playoffs: Eastern Conference First Round Game 2 - Teams to Be Announced. (In Stereo Live) [R]			
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PBS	Newton's Apple (In Stereo) [R]	Kids Are Wired	Metropolitan Opera Presents "Andrea Chénier" Luciano Pavarotti sings the title role in "Andrea Chénier." (In Stereo)		Genesis: A Living Conversation The story of Joseph's exile in Egypt.					Mysteries of Deep Space (In Stereo) (Part 2 of 3) [R]	Adventures-Book of Virtues	Wishbone (In Stereo) [R]	
IND	Family Theatre Girl must decide whether to date a nonbeliever; young man must make a choice.		Zoia Levitt	God's News	Jewish Voice	Dr. Mike Murdock	Origins	Love Worth Finding		Trial and Testimony		Central Baptist Church	
FAM	Movie: "The Return of the Six Million Dollar Man and the Bionic Woman" (1987) Lee Majors. Con'd			*** "Bionic Showdown: The Six Million Dollar Man and the Bionic Woman" (1969) Steve Austin and James Sommers thwart an alien's plan to conquer the planet.									
PBS	1:00 Antiques Roadshow	Lawrence Welk Show "Nostalgia on Broadway" (R)	Travels in Europe (In Stereo)	Fat Man in France (In Stereo)	Frugal Gourmet (In Stereo)	Cooking in Europe (In Stereo)	Baking With Julia (In Stereo)	Marcia Adams' Kitchen	New Yankee Workshop	This Old House	Austin City Limits "Sheryl Crow" (In Stereo)		
NASH	Auto Racing	Championship Rodeo (Bronc and bull riding) (R) (In Stereo)	Motor Trend Television	My Classic Car (R) (In Stereo)	Hot Rod TV (In Stereo)	Shadetree Mechanic (In Stereo)	Roland Martin	Fisher With Orlando Wilson (R)	Outdoor Magazine (In Stereo)	Bassmasters' (R) (In Stereo)	In-Fisherman Television	Bill Dance Outdoors (In Stereo)	
MTV	12:00 Beavis and Butt-head's Video Weekend (In Stereo)		Beavis and Butt-head's Video Weekend (In Stereo)		Beavis and Butt-head's Video Weekend (In Stereo)		Beavis and Butt-head's Video Weekend (In Stereo)		Beavis and Butt-head's Video Weekend (In Stereo)	Week in Rock	Real World (In Stereo)	Real World (In Stereo)	
ESPN	1:00 Auto Racing: NASCAR Winston Cup - Winston Select 500. From Talladega Superspeedway, Ala. (Live) [R]				NASCAR Shop Talk					ESPNs Senior PGA Golf: Las Vegas Classic - Final Round	Sports-center	Baseball Tonight	
KBL	Major League Baseball	Pittsburgh Pirates at Chicago Cubs. From Wrigley Field.								Pro Beach Volleyball: AYP Championships	Golf: Celebrity Players Tour - Final Round. From Del Mar, Calif.		
TNT	Movie: "The Bingo Long Traveling All-Stars and Motor Kings" (1976) Con'd		*** "The Bad News Bears" (1976, Comedy) Walter Matthau, Tatum O'Neal, Vic Morrow. Two star players revitalize a Little League baseball team.							*** "Heaven Is a Playground" (1981) Drama) O.B. Seymore, Michael Warren, Richard Jordan. Aghave's coach isn't interested in college sports.		In the Heat of the Night (In Stereo)	
NICK	Space Cases (R)	What Would You Do?	Wild & Crazy Kids (In Stereo)	Inspector Gadget	Salute Your Shorts (R) (In Stereo)	Legends of the Hidden Temple	Global G.U.T.S. (In Stereo)	Land of the Lost	Are You Afraid of the Dark?	Secret World of Alex Mack	Kenan & Kel (R) (In Stereo)	My Brother and Me (R) (In Stereo)	
AMC	Movie: "Our Man Flint" (1966, Adventure) James Gregory, Louis Gossett, Lee de Wolfe. A man in a space suit goes to take over the world.			*** "In Like Flint" (1967, Adventure) James Gregory, Louis Gossett, Lee de Wolfe. A man in a space suit goes to take over the world.						*** "Laf's Make Love" (1960, Comedy) Marvin Hamlisch, David Byrne, Tom Waits. A man in a space suit goes to take over the world.		Coming Attractions	
DISC	Esc. Alcatraz	Great Adventures of the 20th Century: Stalin's Arctic Disaster (R)		Great Adventures of the 20th Century: "Klonke" The Klonke club rush.						Terra X Biblical Mysteries	Terra X "Ruler of the Gods" (R)	Fangs "Shark Chronicles" (R)	
LIFE	Movie: "Jennifer" (1974) Con'd	One West Walkie "Unhappily Ever After" (In Stereo)		Unsolved Mysteries (In Stereo)						"Seduced by Madness: The David Byrne Story" (1996, Drama) Ann-Margret. A woman conceives three children to murder her husband.			
A&E	Movie: "The Three Musketeers" (1974) A Frenchman and his comrades must save the queen's honor. Con'd			Biography This Week (R)		American Justice	American Justice (R)	Unexplained "Power of Prayer" (R)	Home Again (R)	Home Again (R)	Ancient Mysteries "The Fate of the Neanderthals"		
TOON	Young Robin Hood	Pirates of Dark Water	George of the Jungle	Sledge-Possum	Dexter's Laboratory	Taz-Mania	Taz-Mania	Bugs & Daffy	Hong Kong Phooey	Clue Club	Jabberjaw	Scooky Doo	
CNBC	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Equal Time (Scan) (R)	Succeeded in Business	Strictly Business	Weekly Business	Tim Russert	
SCIFI	C-Net Central	Sightings (R) (In Stereo)		*** "The Night Walker" (1964) Nightmares haunt the widow of a man who died in an explosion.						*** "Bug" (1975) Bradford Dillman. A California town is infested by a new strain of cockroaches.		Masters of Fantasy (R) (In Stereo)	
MOVIE	Movie: "American Gigolo" (1980, Drama) A hired companion for wealthy women is trained for murder. (In Stereo)			*** "Working Girl" (1988, Comedy-Drama) Melanie Lynskey, Harrison Ford, Sigourney Weaver. An ambitious Staten Island secretary moves up the ranks. (In Stereo)						*** "Jennifer Elph" (1992, Mystery) Amy Garcia, Lisa Thomas, Lance Henriksen. A murder detective takes a social whirl. (In Stereo)			
WWF	Movie: Con'd	Stanley Cup Playoffs: Conference Quarterfinal Game 5 - Rangers or Dallas at Edmonton or Detroit at St. Louis. (In Stereo Live) [R]						FIX: The Series "Get Fast"		Pa-Factor: Chronicles of the Paranormal [R]		World's Scariest Police Chases II (In Stereo) PA	
ESPN2	On the Edge: CART	Tennis: ATP Monte Carlo Open - Championships. From Monaco		Auto Racing: FIA Formula One - San Marino Grand Prix. From Imola, Italy. (Live)						Auto Racing: Firestone Indy Lights.	RPM Night	Stanley Cup	

WEDNESDAY EVENING APRIL 30, 1997

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30	12:00	12:30	1:00	1:30	2:00
CBS	CBS Evening News (R) (1)	Highway Patrol	Nanny "You Betta Your Life" (R)	Devil's World (In Stereo) (R)	The Absolute Truth (1994, Drama) John Strydom, A TV newsmagazine takes an in-depth look at a real-life story. (In Stereo) (R)				News (R)	Late Show Music group the Indigo Girls. (In Stereo) (R)		Late Late Show (In Stereo) (R)		Access Hollywood (R)	Gordon Elliott
WTAE	Inside Edition (R)	Entertainment Tonight	Drew Carey (In Stereo) (R)	Coach (R)	Ellen "The Puppy Episode" (In Stereo) (R)	Primetime Live (R)			News (R)	Nightline (R)	American Journal (R)	Rolonda		Jerry Springer	
CBS	Home Improvement (R) (1)	Step by Step "Roadie" (R)	Nanny "You Betta Your Life" (R)	Devil's World (In Stereo) (R)	The Absolute Truth (1994, Drama) John Strydom, A TV newsmagazine takes an in-depth look at a real-life story. (In Stereo) (R)				News (R)	Late Show Music group the Indigo Girls. (In Stereo) (R)		Late Late Show (In Stereo) (R)		News (R)	CBS Up to the Minute
NBC	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Wheel of Fortune (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)
WGN	Family Matters (In Stereo) (R)	Buzz! (In Stereo) (R)	Sister Sledge (In Stereo) (R)	Smart Fox (In Stereo) (R)	Jamie Broke (In Stereo) (R)	Wayans Bros. (In Stereo) (R)	News Steve Sanders, Allison Parker, and Alison Parker. (In Stereo) (R)	7th Heaven "It's About George..." (In Stereo) (R)	Buffy the Vampire Slayer "Roadie, You Sucker!" (In Stereo) (R)	Simon & Simon "What's in a Name?" (In Stereo) (R)					Paid Program
NBC	Wheel of Fortune (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)
TBS	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live) (R)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live) (R)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live) (R)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live) (R)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live) (R)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live) (R)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live) (R)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live) (R)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live) (R)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live) (R)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live) (R)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live) (R)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live) (R)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live) (R)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced. (Live) (R)
FOX	Home Improvement (R) (1)	Seinfeld "The Chaperon" (R)	Beverly Hills, 90210 "All That Jazz" (In Stereo) (R)	Pacific Palisades "All Hell Breaks Loose" (In Stereo) (R)	News (R)	Mad About You (R)	Roseanne (In Stereo) (R)	Mama's Family (In Stereo) (R)	Extra (In Stereo) (R)	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Gerald Rivera (R)
NBC	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Wheel of Fortune (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)	Jeopardy! (R) (1)
NBC	Seinfeld "The Chaperon" (R)	Mad About You (R)	Seinfeld "The Chaperon" (R)	Mad About You (R)	Seinfeld "The Chaperon" (R)	Mad About You (R)	Seinfeld "The Chaperon" (R)	Mad About You (R)	Seinfeld "The Chaperon" (R)	Mad About You (R)	Seinfeld "The Chaperon" (R)	Mad About You (R)	Seinfeld "The Chaperon" (R)	Mad About You (R)	Seinfeld "The Chaperon" (R)
PBS	Newshour With Jim Lehrer (R) (1)	Living Edens (In Stereo) (R)	Living Edens (In Stereo) (R)	Living Edens (In Stereo) (R)	Living Edens (In Stereo) (R)	Living Edens (In Stereo) (R)	Living Edens (In Stereo) (R)	Living Edens (In Stereo) (R)	Living Edens (In Stereo) (R)	Living Edens (In Stereo) (R)	Living Edens (In Stereo) (R)	Living Edens (In Stereo) (R)	Living Edens (In Stereo) (R)	Living Edens (In Stereo) (R)	Living Edens (In Stereo) (R)
NO	(5:00) Faith Works Telethon Continue	Faith Works Telethon	Faith Works Telethon	Faith Works Telethon	Faith Works Telethon	Faith Works Telethon	Faith Works Telethon	Faith Works Telethon	Faith Works Telethon	Faith Works Telethon	Faith Works Telethon	Faith Works Telethon	Faith Works Telethon	Faith Works Telethon	Faith Works Telethon
FAM	Waltoffs Ben leaves the mall and goes into a business of his own. (In Stereo) (R)	Highway to Heaven "That's Our Dad" (In Stereo) (R)	Highway to Heaven "That's Our Dad" (In Stereo) (R)	Highway to Heaven "That's Our Dad" (In Stereo) (R)	Highway to Heaven "That's Our Dad" (In Stereo) (R)	Highway to Heaven "That's Our Dad" (In Stereo) (R)	Highway to Heaven "That's Our Dad" (In Stereo) (R)	Highway to Heaven "That's Our Dad" (In Stereo) (R)	Highway to Heaven "That's Our Dad" (In Stereo) (R)	Highway to Heaven "That's Our Dad" (In Stereo) (R)	Highway to Heaven "That's Our Dad" (In Stereo) (R)	Highway to Heaven "That's Our Dad" (In Stereo) (R)	Highway to Heaven "That's Our Dad" (In Stereo) (R)	Highway to Heaven "That's Our Dad" (In Stereo) (R)	Highway to Heaven "That's Our Dad" (In Stereo) (R)
PBS	Nightly Business Report (In Stereo) (R)	Natural World (In Stereo) (R)	Nightly Business Report (In Stereo) (R)	Natural World (In Stereo) (R)	Nightly Business Report (In Stereo) (R)	Natural World (In Stereo) (R)	Nightly Business Report (In Stereo) (R)	Natural World (In Stereo) (R)	Nightly Business Report (In Stereo) (R)	Natural World (In Stereo) (R)	Nightly Business Report (In Stereo) (R)	Natural World (In Stereo) (R)	Nightly Business Report (In Stereo) (R)	Natural World (In Stereo) (R)	Nightly Business Report (In Stereo) (R)
NASH	Dukes of Hazzard "My Son, Be Hoggy" (In Stereo) (R)	Life and Times of Glen Campbell Profile of Glen Campbell. (In Stereo) (R)	Life and Times of Glen Campbell Profile of Glen Campbell. (In Stereo) (R)	Life and Times of Glen Campbell Profile of Glen Campbell. (In Stereo) (R)	Life and Times of Glen Campbell Profile of Glen Campbell. (In Stereo) (R)	Life and Times of Glen Campbell Profile of Glen Campbell. (In Stereo) (R)	Life and Times of Glen Campbell Profile of Glen Campbell. (In Stereo) (R)	Life and Times of Glen Campbell Profile of Glen Campbell. (In Stereo) (R)	Life and Times of Glen Campbell Profile of Glen Campbell. (In Stereo) (R)	Life and Times of Glen Campbell Profile of Glen Campbell. (In Stereo) (R)	Life and Times of Glen Campbell Profile of Glen Campbell. (In Stereo) (R)	Life and Times of Glen Campbell Profile of Glen Campbell. (In Stereo) (R)	Life and Times of Glen Campbell Profile of Glen Campbell. (In Stereo) (R)	Life and Times of Glen Campbell Profile of Glen Campbell. (In Stereo) (R)	Life and Times of Glen Campbell Profile of Glen Campbell. (In Stereo) (R)
MTV	Singled Out (In Stereo) (R)	Idiot Savants (In Stereo) (R)	Singled Out (In Stereo) (R)	Idiot Savants (In Stereo) (R)	Singled Out (In Stereo) (R)	Idiot Savants (In Stereo) (R)	Singled Out (In Stereo) (R)	Idiot Savants (In Stereo) (R)	Singled Out (In Stereo) (R)	Idiot Savants (In Stereo) (R)	Singled Out (In Stereo) (R)	Idiot Savants (In Stereo) (R)	Singled Out (In Stereo) (R)	Idiot Savants (In Stereo) (R)	Singled Out (In Stereo) (R)
ESPN	SportsCenter (R) (1)	Major League Baseball: Teams to Be Announced. (Live) (R)	SportsCenter (R) (1)	Major League Baseball: Teams to Be Announced. (Live) (R)	SportsCenter (R) (1)	Major League Baseball: Teams to Be Announced. (Live) (R)	SportsCenter (R) (1)	Major League Baseball: Teams to Be Announced. (Live) (R)	SportsCenter (R) (1)	Major League Baseball: Teams to Be Announced. (Live) (R)	SportsCenter (R) (1)	Major League Baseball: Teams to Be Announced. (Live) (R)	SportsCenter (R) (1)	Major League Baseball: Teams to Be Announced. (Live) (R)	SportsCenter (R) (1)
KSL	Major League Baseball: San Francisco Giants at Pittsburgh Pirates. From Three Rivers Stadium. (Live) (R)	Major League Baseball: San Francisco Giants at Pittsburgh Pirates. From Three Rivers Stadium. (Live) (R)	Major League Baseball: San Francisco Giants at Pittsburgh												

FRIDAY EVENING MAY 2, 1997

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CBS (1)	CBS Evening News	Highway Patrol	Candid Camera Across America (In Stereo)	Ordinary Extraordinary (In Stereo)	Nash Bridges "Deliverance" (In Stereo)	News	Late Show Comic actress Roseanne, musician Chuck Berry	Late Late Show (In Stereo)	Access Hollywood	Gordon Elliott					
WTAE (3)	Inside Edition	Entertainment Tonight	Family Matters (In Stereo)	Boy Meets World	Sabrina-Witch Step by Step (In Stereo)	20/20	News	Nightline	American Journal	Rolonda	Jerry Springer				
CBS (1)	Home Improvement	Step by Step	Candid Camera Across America	Ordinary Extraordinary (In Stereo)	Nash Bridges "Deliverance" (In Stereo)	News	Late Show Comic actress Roseanne, musician Chuck Berry	Late Late Show (In Stereo)	News	(Off Air)					
NBC (4)	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	Unsolved Mysteries (In Stereo)	Dateline (In Stereo)	Homicide: Life on the Street "Narcissus" (In Stereo)	News	Tonight Show (In Stereo)	Late Night (In Stereo)	Friday Night (In Stereo)						
WGN (7)	Family Matters (In Stereo)	Buzz!	In the Heat of the Night "Discovery" (In Stereo) (Part 2 of 2)	News Steve Sanders, Alison Payne, (In Stereo)	Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Los Angeles Dodgers, From Dodger Stadium, (In Stereo Live)	Tenth Inning (In Stereo)	Simon & Simon "Shadow of Sam Perry"	Paid Program							
NBC (2)	Wheel of Fortune	Jeopardy!	Unsolved Mysteries (In Stereo)	Dateline (In Stereo)	Homicide: Life on the Street "Narcissus" (In Stereo)	News	Tonight Show (In Stereo)	Late Night (In Stereo)	Friday Night (In Stereo)						
TBS (3)	Funny Home Videos	Major League Baseball: Pittsburgh Pirates at Atlanta Braves, From Turner Field, (Live)													
FOX (3)	Home Improvement	Seinfeld (In Stereo)	Sliders "Dissolve" (In Stereo)	Millennium "Broken World" (In Stereo) (PA)	News	Mad About My Name "I've Got It" (In Stereo)	Roseanne "My Name Is" (In Stereo)	Mama's Family (In Stereo)	Paid Program	Paid Program	Paid Program	Geraldo Rivera			
NBC (1)	Jeopardy!	Wheel of Fortune	Unsolved Mysteries (In Stereo)	Dateline (In Stereo)	Homicide: Life on the Street "Narcissus" (In Stereo)	News	Tonight Show (In Stereo)	Late Night (In Stereo)	Friday Night (In Stereo)						
NBC (3)	Seinfeld (In Stereo)	Mad About You	Unsolved Mysteries (In Stereo)	Dateline (In Stereo)	Homicide: Life on the Street "Narcissus" (In Stereo)	News	Tonight Show (In Stereo)	Late Night (In Stereo)	Friday Night (In Stereo)						
PBS (1)	Newshour With Jim Lehrer	Washington Week in Review	Wall Street Week	McLaughlin-Editors In Group	Black Horizons	Tony Brown's Journal	Charlie Rose (In Stereo)	(Off Air)							
IND (1)	(5:00) Faith Works Telethon Continue	Faith Works Telethon					Faith Works Telethon Continue								Faith Works Telethon
FAM (1)	Waltons "The Obstacle"	Highway to Heaven "Love at Second Sight" (In Stereo)	Rescue 911 (In Stereo)	700 Club (Left in Progress)	Three Stooges	Carson's Comedy Classics	Carson's Comedy Classics	Paid Program	700 Club (In Progress)						
PBS (1)	Nightly Business Report	Inside Maryland	Washington Week in Review	Wall Street Week	Antiques Roadshow "Greenwich, Connecticut"	Bogart - The Untold Story (In Stereo)	"To Have and Have Not" (1944) Akipper becomes involved in the Resistance movement.	Charlie Rose (In Stereo)	Bloom-berg TV	(Off Air)					
NASH (1)	Dukes of Hazzard "Along Came a Duke" (In Stereo)	Auto Racing: A.J. Foyt's Calveside of Sprints, From Phoenix, (In Stereo)					Dallas "The Unexpected" (In Stereo)	Auto Racing: A.J. Foyt's Calveside of Sprints, From Phoenix, (In Stereo)							
MTV (1)	Singled Out - Idiots Savants	Music Videos (In Stereo)	Amp (In Stereo)	Beavis-Butt, World Tour (R)	Singled Out	LoveLine (In Stereo)	Beavis-Butt, World Tour (R)	Singled Out	LoveLine (In Stereo)	Beavis-Butt, World Tour (R)	Singled Out	LoveLine (In Stereo)	Beavis-Butt, World Tour (R)	Singled Out	LoveLine (In Stereo)
ESPN (1)	Sports-center	Stanley Cup Playoffs: Conference Semifinal Game 1 - Teams to Be Announced, (Time Approximate) (Live)													
KBL (1)	Sports-center	Major League Baseball: Pittsburgh Pirates at Atlanta Braves, From Turner Field, (Live)													
TNT (1)	In the Heat of the Night "Obsession" (In Stereo)	NBA Basketball Playoffs: Teams to Be Announced, (Live)													
NCK (1)	Doug (In Stereo)	Rugrats (In Stereo)	Kablamo! (In Stereo)	Happy Days	I Love Lucy	Be-witched	Newhart	Odd Couple	Taxi	Myer Tyler Moore	Dick Van Dyke	Bob Newhart	Rhoda	I Dream of Jeannie	Munsters of Magic (R)
AMC (1)	*** "In Like Flint" (1967, Adventure) James Coburn, Lee J. Cobb, Jean Hale. An intrapud spy toils a secret female society's plot.	*** "Our Man Flint" (1966, Adventure) James Coburn, Gila Golan, Lee J. Cobb. A maniac group plots to take over the world.	*** "The Fly" (1958) Vincent Price. An experiment ends in the transmutation of a fly and a man.	*** "In Like Flint" (1967, Adventure) James Coburn, Lee J. Cobb, Jean Hale. An intrapud spy toils a secret female society's plot.	*** "The Fly" (1958) Vincent Price. An experiment ends in the transmutation of a fly and a man.	*** "In Like Flint" (1967, Adventure) James Coburn, Lee J. Cobb, Jean Hale. An intrapud spy toils a secret female society's plot.	*** "The Fly" (1958) Vincent Price. An experiment ends in the transmutation of a fly and a man.	*** "In Like Flint" (1967, Adventure) James Coburn, Lee J. Cobb, Jean Hale. An intrapud spy toils a secret female society's plot.	*** "The Fly" (1958) Vincent Price. An experiment ends in the transmutation of a fly and a man.	*** "In Like Flint" (1967, Adventure) James Coburn, Lee J. Cobb, Jean Hale. An intrapud spy toils a secret female society's plot.	*** "The Fly" (1958) Vincent Price. An experiment ends in the transmutation of a fly and a man.	*** "In Like Flint" (1967, Adventure) James Coburn, Lee J. Cobb, Jean Hale. An intrapud spy toils a secret female society's plot.	*** "The Fly" (1958) Vincent Price. An experiment ends in the transmutation of a fly and a man.	*** "In Like Flint" (1967, Adventure) James Coburn, Lee J. Cobb, Jean Hale. An intrapud spy toils a secret female society's plot.	*** "The Fly" (1958) Vincent Price. An experiment ends in the transmutation of a fly and a man.
DISC (1)	Wings "FW 190" (R)	Wild Discovery (R)	Discovery World of Wonder (R)	Hunters of the Serengeti (R)	Wild Discovery (R)	Discovery World of Wonder (R)	Hunters of the Serengeti (R)	Wild Discovery (R)	Discovery World of Wonder (R)	Hunters of the Serengeti (R)	Wild Discovery (R)	Discovery World of Wonder (R)	Hunters of the Serengeti (R)	Wild Discovery (R)	Discovery World of Wonder (R)
LIFE (1)	Diah (In Stereo)	Three Blind Dates	Wire (In Stereo)	Men's Room (In Stereo)	*** "Three Amigos!" (1986, Comedy) Chevy Chase, Steve Martin. Seven cowboys are recruited to drive a tyrant out of town.	*** "White Mischief" (1987, Drama) Sarah Miles, Jose Andino, John Hurt. A scandalous affair in Kenya leads to murder.	*** "The Stranded Angel" (1993, Comedy) Michael Kopelow. Two comedy buddies crash an unbelievable party.	*** "The Stranded Angel" (1993, Comedy) Michael Kopelow. Two comedy buddies crash an unbelievable party.	*** "The Stranded Angel" (1993, Comedy) Michael Kopelow. Two comedy buddies crash an unbelievable party.	*** "The Stranded Angel" (1993, Comedy) Michael Kopelow. Two comedy buddies crash an unbelievable party.	*** "The Stranded Angel" (1993, Comedy) Michael Kopelow. Two comedy buddies crash an unbelievable party.	*** "The Stranded Angel" (1993, Comedy) Michael Kopelow. Two comedy buddies crash an unbelievable party.	*** "The Stranded Angel" (1993, Comedy) Michael Kopelow. Two comedy buddies crash an unbelievable party.	*** "The Stranded Angel" (1993, Comedy) Michael Kopelow. Two comedy buddies crash an unbelievable party.	*** "The Stranded Angel" (1993, Comedy) Michael Kopelow. Two comedy buddies crash an unbelievable party.
AE (1)	Law & Order "Prisoner of Love" (R)	Biography "The Fatal Attraction of Adolf Hitler" (R) (Part 2 of 2)	Biography "The Fatal Attraction of Adolf Hitler" (R) (Part 2 of 2)	Biography "The Fatal Attraction of Adolf Hitler"											
TOON (1)	Garfield-Friend	Scooby Doo	Scooby Doo	Bugs & Daffy	Flintstones	Jetsons	Tom and Jerry	Speed Racer	SpGhost: Cartoon Planet	Jonny Quest	Jonny Quest	Scooby Doo	3 Stupid Dogs	Quick Draw	
CHBC (1)	Money Club	Steals and Deals	Equal Time	Hardball	Rivera Live		Late Night (In Stereo)	Charles Grodin	Rivera Live (R)	Charles Grodin (R)	Steals and Deals				
SCFI (1)	*** "Dark Secret of Harvest Home" (1978, Horror) Bela Blasko, Rosanna Arquette, David Ackroyd. Strange people inhabit a remote New England village.	*** "Dark Secret of Harvest Home" (1978, Horror) Bela Blasko, Rosanna Arquette, David Ackroyd. Strange people inhabit a remote New England village.	*** "Dark Secret of Harvest Home" (1978, Horror) Bela Blasko, Rosanna Arquette, David Ackroyd. Strange people inhabit a remote New England village.	*** "Dark Secret of Harvest Home" (1978, Horror) Bela Blasko, Rosanna Arquette, David Ackroyd. Strange people inhabit a remote New England village.											
USA (1)	Highlander: The Series (In Stereo)	*** "The Sister-in-Law" (1995, Suspense) Sherry Noveck. A woman seeks to avenge the death of her husband's partner.	*** "The Sister-in-Law" (1995, Suspense) Sherry Noveck. A woman seeks to avenge the death of her husband's partner.	*** "The Sister-in-Law" (1995, Suspense) Sherry Noveck. A woman seeks to avenge the death of her husband's partner.											
WWPC (1)	Star Trek: The Next Generation	Sliders "Dissolve" (In Stereo)	Millennium "Broken World" (In Stereo)	News	Cher's "Odd Couple"	Cash "Paid Program"	Rick Lake "News (R)"								
ESPN (1)	RPM "The Stanley Cup Playoffs: Conference Semifinal Game 1 - Teams to Be Announced, (Time Approximate) (Live)"	NHL "Alphie"	Derby "Run for the Roses"	Run for the Roses	College Volleyball: NCAA College I Men's Semifinal	NBA "The NBA Finals"									

BITTINGER NEWS

Bethesda Church of the Brethren recently began a youth group. The next meeting will be May 3 from 5 to 6 p.m. Each meeting will involve games, crafts, Bible study, and refreshments. Any interested youth may contact Diana McKenzie.

Beulah Moon attended the all Allegany County Sixth Grade Honor Band concert at Allegany High School, where her granddaughter Jessica was a participant.

Sally Poholsky and Ferne Beachy visited Howard and Marie Messick and Rita Haggerty at their home in Flintstone on Tuesday.

Herman and Audrey Nesline, Baltimore, spent last week at their home here.

Martha Giotfelty recently moved to the Goodwill Mennonite Home.

St. John's WELCA of the Bittering Lutheran Parish recently held their monthly meeting, with four

in attendance. The next meeting will be May 20 at 1 p.m.

Ruth DiPaolo recently spent a week in Florida visiting relatives and friends. She was an overnight guest of friends in Partlow, Va.

Ken Buckel and Wayne Durst, Grantsville, recently visited a former teacher from Grantsville High School, William Grimm, and his wife Ruth (Keefe) at Hagerstown. Ken presented and planted a lilac bush he had grown on Mrs. Grimm's home place where the Bill Buckel family now live, near Grantsville.

A group of parishioners from the Bittering Lutheran Parish recently attended the Ecumenical Youth Ministry production of *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat* presented in Oakland.

WOW Camp #68 will meet at the Bittering fire hall this Saturday, April 26, at 7 p.m. James Crawford, fraternal coordinator, will be present. Youth are encouraged to attend.

The Bittering Lutheran Parish Youth group recently held a spaghetti supper at the Bittering fire hall, with proceeds going to the church building fund.

Tom and Cheryl Giotfelty, Taylor and Timmy, and Jim and Donna Giotfelty recently returned home from vacationing in Colorado and other surrounding western states. Tom flew the group to Tulsa, Okla., where they rented a van and traveled to Colorado Springs and spent some time visiting Jeff and Shell Gray. They also toured places of interest in Kansas, Wyoming, Idaho, Utah, New Mexico, and Texas, including Jackson Hole Elk Refuge and Grand Teton National



VISIT ATHENS - Tina Martin-Selders, Grantsville, is pictured above with her husband Rick and their daughter Baylee at the Sounion Temple in Athens, Greece. Martin-Selders was among a group of top House of Lloyd Sales Associates who attended a training meeting in Athens and the Greek Islands. She qualified for the expense-paid trip based upon outstanding sales achievements in 1996. House of Lloyd, Inc., based in Grandview, Mo., is one of the leading party plan sales companies in the nation. It has a sales force of 50,000. The Selders family also traveled with House of Lloyd to Hawaii in 1995 and to Germany and Austria last year. Martin-Selders is an area supervisor for the company.

Forest in Wyoming; Flaming Gorge in Utah; Pike's Peak, Peterson Air Force Base, and Garden of the Gods in Colorado; Capulin Volcano in New Mexico; and the Amarillo Stockyards and Big Texan Restaurant in Amarillo, Tex. They also were skiing at Copper Mountain and Vail, Colo.

Arts Council Seeks Applicants For Artist Awards

The Maryland State Arts Council (MSAC), an agency of the Maryland Department of Business and Economic Development, is seeking applicants for its fiscal year 1998 Individual Artist Awards. The program, which awards grants of \$1,000; \$3,000; and \$6,000, is designed to assist Maryland artists with their pursuit of artistic excellence.

The awards will be offered in the following categories: media, solo dance performance, solo instrumental performance, solo theatrical performance, solo vocal performance, visual arts: new genre; and visual arts: two dimensional. To apply, artists must be at least 18 years of age, and have lived in Maryland as a primary residence for at least six of the 12 months preceding the date an application is submitted. All entries will be judged anonymously by out-of-state jurors whose decisions are based solely on artistic merit. Jury meetings are open to the public and are scheduled to take place at the MSAC offices in the fall of 1997.

Grant applications may be obtained by calling the Maryland State Arts Council at (410) 333-8232 or TDD/TTY (410) 333-4519.

Completed applications for the Individual Artist Awards must be postmarked on or before July 11, 1997, or hand delivered by 5 p.m. that day to the Maryland State Arts Council offices at 601 N. Howard Street, Baltimore.

For more information about the Individual Artist Awards, persons may call the Maryland State Arts Council at (410) 333-8232.

GCC Plans Senior Courses In Nature And Computer Use

Garrett Community College is offering two courses to senior citizens on May 19 and 20. The Continuing Education Division will offer computer courses and a course in birds and wildflowers.

Scheduled to be held at the McHenry campus, the instruction in computer use will be in two sessions. In the morning, from 9 a.m. to 12:15 p.m., Computer Literacy will offer basic concepts and word processing.

From 1:15 to 4:30 p.m., a Microsoft Windows 95 course will cover operating systems, working with multiple applications, text, numbers, and graphics. Computer literacy is required for anyone taking this course.

There will be a \$10 registration fee and a \$15 course fee for these classes.

For those who prefer the outdoors, the nature class will offer a study of flowers and birds. Participants in the "Wings and Wildflowers" course will have an opportunity to learn about the different birds and wildflowers visible in late spring through a morning classroom lecture and an afternoon field trip.

The morning session, which will be held from 8:30-11:30 a.m., will emphasize the identification of common species. In the afternoon, from 1 to 5 p.m., participants will travel by van to a local area where they can see a wide variety of birds and wildflowers.

Participants should wear sturdy shoes or hiking boots for mild trail walking. Those who take part in this program are encouraged to bring binoculars and wildflower and bird identification guides (Peterson field guides are recommended) to facilitate viewing and identification.

The "Wings and Wildflowers" is scheduled either Monday, May 19 or Tuesday, May 20. There will be a \$10 registration fee and \$15 course fee each day.

These courses are open to seniors 60 years of age or older and their spouses. Anyone wishing additional information may contact the Continuing Education Division at 301-387-3069.

Crisis Center's Walk For Life Set For May 10

A committee to plan Mountain Top Crisis Pregnancy Center's annual Walk-A-Thon recently met to begin working on the 1997 Walk For Life, to be held on Saturday, May 10, the day before Mother's Day. The rain date is Saturday, May 17.

A goal of \$15,000 has been set for this year's event. Walkers who receive \$150 in pledges will receive a free T-shirt.

Mountain Top Crisis Pregnancy Center is a non-profit, tax-exempt organization which offers alternatives to abortion, according to a spokesperson for the local center. "The center does not take a girl or woman's choice away, but believes in educating her on the development of the child after conception and educating her on abortion so she can make an informed decision," the spokesperson said. Mountain Top receives no government funding, has no paid employees, and operates solely on donations.

Some of the center's services include pregnancy testing, counseling, referral services, adoption programs, parenting skills classes, post-abortion support groups, and provisions for maternity and baby clothes, baby furniture, food, formula, and diapers.

A trophy, which will remain in their home church until next May, will be presented to the youth group



POLISH-UP YOUR RESUME and your shoes. It is time again for the Garrett County Job Fair. Planning is underway for the sixth annual exposition of employment opportunities in Garrett County. The McHenry campus of Garrett Community College will again host this event, which is sponsored by the Garrett County Chamber of Commerce in coordination with the GCC Job Placement Center, Maryland Department of Labor, Licensing and Regulations, and the Western Maryland Consortium. The Job Fair will be held on May 3 from noon to 3 p.m. Businesses seeking employees for summer, year-round, or future jobs may arrange to participate in the event by calling GCC Job Placement Center at 387-3089. The fair is open to all members of the community. The planning committee members displaying the fair banner are, left, Lynne Giotfelty and Julie Yoder. Other members of the committee are Brenda McDonnell, Twila Metz, Sandi Flockhart, Lloyd Day, and Sandy Major.

that raises the most money.

Persons may obtain additional information on the walk-a-thon by calling the Mtn. Top Crisis Pregnancy Center at 301-334-1058.

Park March Re-Set

The March for Parks held at New Germany State Park scheduled for April 19 has been rescheduled for April 26. Registration will be held at the New Germany State Park Lakehouse.

For further information, persons may contact Eric Savage at the Savage River Complex at (301) 895-5759 or 746-8359.



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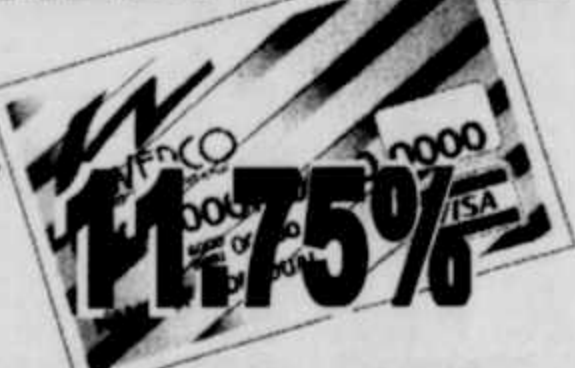
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FSU Children's Literature Fest Slated; 15th Anniversary Noted

Final plans are underway for the 1997 Spring Festival of Children's Literature at Frostburg State University. This year's event, which marks the 15th anniversary of the festival, will be held on Friday and Saturday, May 2 and 3, on the FSU campus. For the first time, the new Performing Arts Center will be the setting

for several events during the two-day festival. Admission is by registration only and is limited in number.

A well-known group of award-winning authors and illustrators headline this year's event, titled "Celebrating The Artistry of Literature: Pictures, Prose, Poetry, Storytelling." Guests will include Ruth Heller,



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Michael Rosen, Robert Sansouci, Jane Conly, and Colby Rodowsky.

The agenda for the festival includes informative small group sessions and large group presentations offered in a personal and relaxed environment.

Pre-registered participants will mingle with fellow educators and exchange ideas, purchase books, and hear the experiences of the visiting authors. Autographing sessions will also be available with all the guest artists.

Author/illustrator Ruth Heller has been creating children's books for over 20 years. Her first book, *Chickens Aren't the Only Ones*, was published in 1980, after five years of rejections. However, the book was so successful that it warranted three sequels. She then developed her *How to Hide* series, which is a collection of six books about camouflage and the magic of this phenomenon in nature. Her newest collection is a six-volume series on parts of speech. Ms. Heller resides in San Francisco.

Author Michael Rosen feels very strongly about the benefits of using poetry with children. Only the second international speaker to present at the festival, Rosen began writing at age 16 and his published work, a play titled *Backbone*, was performed in London's Royal Court Theatre while he was an undergraduate student at Wadham College, Oxford University. His first work for children was *Mind Your Own Business*, a book of poetry that critics have regarded as a groundbreaking collection since it opened the door to a new wave of child-centered, humorous, bitter-sweet poetry for children in the United Kingdom. Rosen has over 100 books to his name and has won several prestigious

prizes including "Best Book of the Year" award for his collaboration with Helen Oxenbury for *We're Going on a Bear Hunt*.

According to author Robert Sansouci, he has always had a fascination with traveling to magical kingdoms. "Many of my own stories take place in other places, other dimensions," he said. "I guess I'm the ultimate escapist." Sansouci, a resident of San Francisco, will be making a journey to share his love of knights, dragons, and folklore and how these elements have influenced his books. His works include *Young Merlin* and *Young Guinevere*. His spooky picture book, *The Hobnobs*, received rave reviews in *Booklist* and *School Library Journal*. This book focuses on a group of mischievous goblins who plot to terrorize an unsuspecting family and get their just desserts in the end. His latest book, *Sootface*, a collaboration with his brother Daniel Sansouci, is an imaginative retelling of a Native American Cinderella story.

Jane Conly and Colby Rodowsky, both residents of Baltimore, will make a unique contribution to the festival by presenting together. Both of these authors write intermediate fiction for young readers. Ms. Conly is the daughter of the 1972 Newbery Medal-winning author of *Mrs. Frisby and the Rats of NIMH*. She has carried on the family talent by producing quality literature including the 1994

Newbery Honor book *Crazy Lady!* Rodowsky has written 14 books, three of which have won several honors including an "ALA Best Book for Young Adults" and "A School Library Journal Best Book for Young Adults" for *Julie's Daughter*. The mother of six children and grandmother of 10, Rodowsky treasures her time for reading and writing.

In addition to the activities for teachers, librarians, and college students at the festival, the R. Margaret Hamilton Children's Hour is scheduled to offer community children the opportunity to experience authors and illustrations "up close and personal." The Children's Hour will be held Friday, May 2, beginning at 4 p.m. for children ages 4 to 12. The authors and illustrators will share their works and the process of writing and illustrating with the children in age specific workshops. Registration for the Children's Hour is required and can be arranged by calling (301) 687-4420.

Dr. William Bingman, FSU professor of educational professions, organized the first festival 15 years ago as a way to honor two colleagues who made significant contributions to children's literature education in the community. "The festival has become a testament to those who care about the art of children's literature and who want to share that with future generations," stated an FSU spokesman.

Pre-registration for the festival is required. Books by the featured authors and illustrators will be available for purchase. The festival is administered by the FSU Foundation, Inc., and sponsored by the FSU Department of Educational Professions and the Children's Literature Centre. For more information about registration, persons may contact Dr. Bingman or his graduate assistants at (301) 687-4420.

FSU is committed to making all of its programs, services, and activities accessible to persons with disabilities. Persons may request accommodations through the ADA Compliance Office, FSU Library Room 228, (301) 687-4102, TDD (301) 687-7955.

Music Festival Slated At FSU For Earth Day

Frostburg State University will be celebrating this year's "Earth Day" this Sunday, April 27, with an "Earth Day Musical Festival" sponsored by the FSU chapter of Amnesty International. The event is free and open to the public.

Four local bands will be performing from 1 to 6 p.m. in the Library Quad on campus, immediately outside of the University's Ort Library. The bands include Intuanti, Union 75, Westbound Train, and Blue-Eyed Devils. Student organizations such as the Recycling Club and the Sierra Club, along with the Maryland Parks Service, will be on hand to pass out litera-



RECEIVES 50-YEAR PIN - A Past Master of Oakland Lodge #192, Ancient, Free, and Accepted Masons, was recently awarded his 50-year membership pin during a regular communication of the lodge. Edward K. Shay, who was initiated into Free Masonry in October of 1946 and raised to Master Mason on April 8, 1947, was present to receive his pin precisely 50 years later, to the day. The pin was presented by Grand Inspector Aaron Lee on behalf of the Grand Master of Maryland, Shay served as the Master of Oakland Lodge in 1954. Pictured from left above are Worshipful Master Donald A. Nuce, Past Master Reardon Purbaugh, who was Master of the lodge when Shay took each of his three degrees; Past Master Shay; and Grand Inspector Lee.

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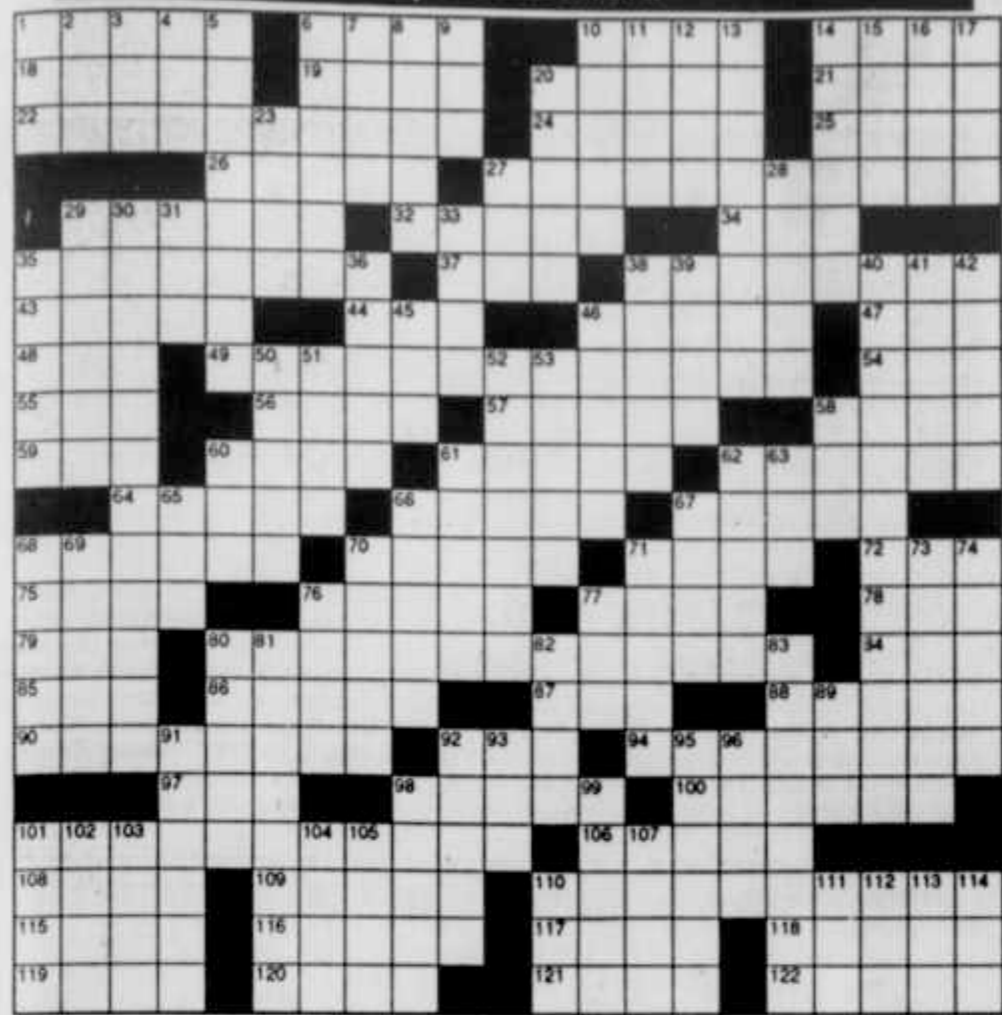
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1. What does the "Q" in Q-TIPS stand for?
2. Where was Barbra Streisand born?
3. What state is New York Yankee owner George Steinbrenner originally from?
4. How did Mr. Streinbrenner build his fortune?
5. What country does Alex Trebek of "Jeopardy" hail from?
6. What state does Diana Ross live in the U.S.?
7. Name Bea Arthur's grandson's character's name on the great 1970s' sitcom, "Maude."
8. What town and state did the famous "Maude" sitcom supposedly take place in?
9. Who portrays the construction worker in "The Village People"?
10. What former member from the cast of the hit sitcom, "Rhoda," starring Valerie Harper, portrayed D.L. Brock on "General Hospital"?
11. What prime-time sitcom did Christopher Rich appear in? (Chris was a favorite from "Another World".)
12. What do the late Tallulah Bankhead and Jennifer Bassey of "All My Children" have in common?
13. When she was 22 and he was 44, they dated, and opened eyes. Name this country & western couple.
14. What was Jackie Gleason's funniest line on "The Honeymooners"?
15. Name the actress who portrayed Granny Clampett on "The Beverly Hillbillies".

Antiques

Q. The sides of my grandmother's chair are mahogany. They have carved dragons with tails going up each side to the back. It was originally upholstered in black leather. Somebody told me that it's a Karpen chair. What is a Karpen?

A. S. Karpen & Bros. was a furniture manufacturer in Chicago from 1880 through 1952. The company offered mission-style chairs and sofas from 1900 to World War I.

The Karpen line included overstuffed parlor suites, folding bed lounges, Morris chairs and art nouveau and colonial adaptations.

After 1914, the firm used prison labor to produce rattan and reed furniture. It introduced Windsor reproductions in the 1920s. The company also made church and lodge furniture and seats for streetcars and buses.

The company went bankrupt in 1952, and the Schnadig Corp. purchased it. Schnadig has continued to use the Karpen name on a line of upholstered furniture.

Q. I have some plates and a vase with the crossed-swords Meissen mark on the bottom. The decoration on them is green ivy. I bought it in an antique shop after World War II. Is this really Meissen, or could it be fake?

Home Tips

WHERE'S FIDO? — When you give your pet a new flea collar, take a permanent marker and write the pet's name and your telephone number on the collar in clear view — a big help in locating the owner of a lost dog or cat.

To keep the name and number from rubbing off, put some transparent tape over it. It should last till you replace the collar. Jim T., Vienna, Va.

GOOD-OLD WAXED PAPER — I wonder if younger people realize how useful waxed paper is.

If used to line cake pans, there are no more burned or hard crusts on the bottom of cake layers.

If used under small items to be painted or glued, it does not stick and leaves no mess.

It also works great to separate things in the freezer. Waxed paper has so many uses. Eleanor V., Chula Vista, Calif.

RECYCLE — Here's another tip for recycling those packaging peanuts. Stuff them into an old pair of stockings or pantyhose, knot the ends and you have boot trees. Patty S., Decatur, Ga.

Trivia Test Answers

1. Irene Ryan
2. Looks like rain tonight!
3. "Darling"
4. Charmings
5. Hodo
6. David Grob
7. David Phillips
8. David Phillips
9. David Phillips
10. David Phillips
11. David Phillips
12. David Phillips
13. David Phillips
14. David Phillips
15. David Phillips

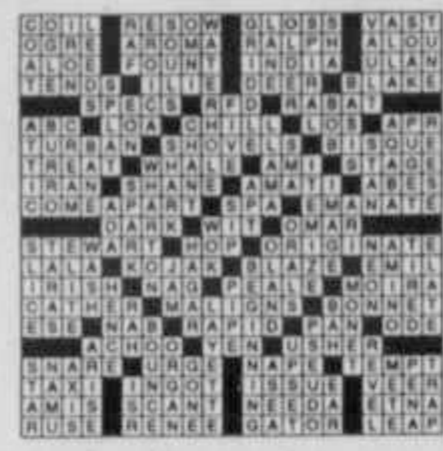
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THE INTERNATIONAL CROSSNUMBER GAME

DIRECTIONS:
Fill each square with a number, one through nine.
• Horizontal squares should add to totals on right.
• Vertical squares should add to totals on bottom.
• Diagonal squares through center should add to total in upper and lower right.

8				32
			4	19
		1		19
1				17
12	23	21	31	21

Solution next week

Answers to
Super Crossword

"To your left a little. There you're right on top of it."



"Don't argue with your grandmother. I've been grounded since 1937!"



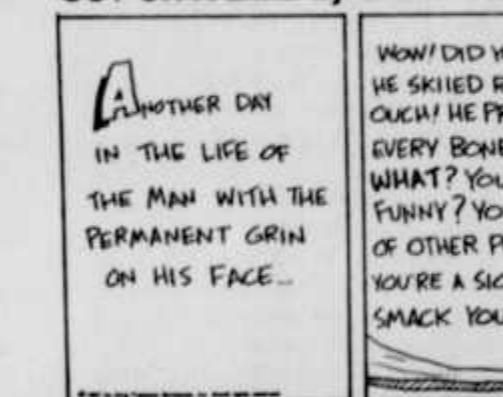
"You are raising something, dear. And a fine rabbit it is, too."



R.F.D. by MIKE MARLAND



OUT ON A LIMB by GARY KOPERVAS



HOCUS-FOCUS

FIND AT LEAST 6 DIFFERENCES BETWEEN PANELS.



This Week In History

On April 21, 1836, Sam Houston and his Texans defeated the Mexicans at San Jacinto ... April 21, 1855, the first railroad train to cross the Mississippi did so between Rock Island, Ill., and Davenport, Iowa ... April 26, 1865, John Wilkes Booth, assassin of President Abraham Lincoln, was reported dead ... April 22, 1889, the U.S. declared Oklahoma open to white settlement; within 24 hours, claims for two millions acres were staked by 50,000 settlers ... April 22, 1898, the U.S. blockaded Cuba to aid independence forces ... April 24, 1898, the U.S. declared war on Spain ... April 22, 1930, the London Naval Reduction Treaty was signed by the U.S., Britain, Italy, France, and Japan ... April 22, 1954, Senator Joseph McCarthy (R-Wis.) began televised hearings into alleged Communist influence in the Army ... April 25, 1959, the St. Lawrence Seaway opened ... April 21, 1960, Congress approved a strong voting rights act ... April 22, 1970, millions of Americans participated in anti-pollution demonstrations to mark the first Earth Day ... April 24, 1980, eight Americans were killed and five were wounded in an ill-fated attempt to rescue the hostages held by Iranian militants at the U.S. Embassy in Tehran ... April 21, 1995, Timothy McVeigh was charged in the Oklahoma City bombing ... April 24, 1995, a package bomb attributed to the president of a forestry association in Sacramento, Calif. ... April 25, 1995, in baseball, regular-season play got underway, ending the longest strike in sports history ... April 25, 1996, with only about five months left in the 1996 fiscal year, Congress finally approved a spending bill for the rest of the year that President Bill Clinton could supposedly accept ... April 26, 1996, Senator Bob Dole (R-Kan.), the prospective Republican nominee for president, called for a repeal of the 4.3-cents-per-gallon gasoline tax that Congress had approved in 1993 as part of the Clinton administration's so-called deficit-reduction package ... April 26, 1996, Israel and Lebanon announced a cease-fire agreement "in consultation with Syria."

AN AMERICAN HERO
by Dr. Robert B. Pamplin, Jr.
and Gary K. Eisler

WILT CHAMBERLAIN

Wilt Chamberlain was born in Philadelphia, one of nine children. He lived in a middle-class neighborhood that was racially mixed. Chamberlain shot up like a skyrocket, earning the nickname, "The Stilt." By the time he went to Overbrook High School in 1952, he was already 6 feet 11 inches tall.

Chamberlain began playing basketball with his pals in the streets. He picked up skills from the older kids, but soon enough, he was in his own league. His high school basketball career brought him scholarship offers from more than 200 colleges.

Chamberlain chose the University of Kansas. During that first varsity season, he led his team to the NCAA finals. He was twice selected All American during his college career.

By 1959, he was in the NBA, playing for the Philadelphia Warriors. He scored almost 40 points per game during that first season — eight points per game more than anyone else had ever scored in the history of the league. He was the first person to be named both rookie of the year and MVP in the same season.

Despite the high scores, Chamberlain's teams never won the NBA championship. He was playing for the L.A. Lakers in 1972 against the New York Knickerbockers when he fractured his wrist. But he put football linemen's pads on both hands and played superbly to win the series.

"For a long time, fans had to put up with people saying Wilt couldn't win the big ones. Now maybe they'll have a chance to walk in peace, like I do."

Chamberlain ended his career as a player after the next season and for a brief time before retirement, tried his hand at coaching. Thereafter, he lived a clean and quiet life and used his wealth and talent to sponsor athletic groups such as volleyball and track — so others could have the same shot at glory that he did.

Solution to last
week's Challenger

1	2	3	7	13
2	4	2	1	9
2	1	3	2	8
2	5	2	6	18
7	15	10	16	14

Honor Students Announced At Northern High

Martin R. Green, principal at Northern High School, has announced the list of ninth through 12th grade students who obtained placement on the Distinguished Honor Roll (90 percent grade point average or above) and the Regular Honor Roll (80 percent GPA or above) for the third grading term of the 1996-97 school year.

DISTINGUISHED HONOR ROLL

Grade 9
Jennifer Bender, Rachel Bender, Stephanie L. Evans, Heidi Frazee, Melanie L. Harvey, Cindy McKenzie, Jackie C. Resh, Katelin J. Roberts, Shane R. Russell, Levi P.J. Schmuck, Stacy Stein, and Daniel Umbel.

Grade 10
Janelle Bender.

Grade 11
David M. Butler, Eric S. Neubert, Jeremy T. Robinson, Mindy J. Robinson, Melissa L. Tucci, Douglas D. Weimer, and Laurel M. Wolf.

Grade 12
Kimberly Bittner, Nicole C. Collins, Larah E. Friend, Michelle R. Geis, Rachael A. Gosnell, Stephanie A. Gosnell, Janel M. Hordubay, Melanie Kamp, Jennifer A. McKenzie, Erin Resh, Joshua A. Robinson, Lea D. Stanton, Robbin R. Stemple, Anika Weth, and Michael Winebrenner.

HONOR ROLL

Grade 9
Keith Artice, Kristy Beitzel, Wendell Beitzel,

Adam Brenneman, Nolla S. Broadwater, Crystal A. Colmer, Kelley Fratz, Moriah K. Geis, Danielle D. Harman, Nathan Mazer, Heather R. Miller, Jennifer M. Murray, Joshua J. Resh, Nathan R. Resh, Morgan B. Rodeheaver, Shenna Rodeheaver, Daniel D. Rounds, Marissa P. Ryan, Stephen D. Smith, Brian L. Spiker, Brandon Stein, Leslie Swarman, Timothy Umbel, Peter Winter, and Christopher Yoder.

Grade 10
Michael C. Auvil, Laura B. Bowser, Jacqueline A. Brenneman, Tonya L. Brenneman, Ryan D. Butler, Michelle E. Coelho, Kelli M. Elliott, Amanda L. Garlitz, Sarah E. Garlitz, Julia D. Geisler, Kara C. Gilpin, Emily E. Green, Brian G. Harvey, Kristin D. Hitchens, Seth T. Huber, Asa J. Maust, Craig A. Miller, Joshua R. Neubert, Amber R. Polk, James L. Railey III, Brian M. Savage, Ann E. Sebold, Beverly J. Sebold, Jesse T. Shimrock, Katie L. Sisler, Robert W. Taylor, and Arthur H. Winter.

Grade 11
Adam C. Bach, Valerie H. Bender, Courtney M. Bittner, Brooke A. Brenneman, Tara D. Daniels, Aaron D. Fisher, Jeffrey S. Folk, Brandi M. Frazee, Chelsea C. Frickey, Nicholas B. Henges, Amy E. Hinebaugh, Rachel E. Levenez, Angela M. Otto, Brooke E. Rider, Kerri L. Sines, and Jill E. Speicher.

Grade 12
Lori L. Arnold, Sarah D. Beitzel, Derek J. Berger, Melissa A. Bowser, Cody D. Brenneman, Leslie J. Buck-

el, Jason Clevenger, Glenda M. DeWitt, Brian A. Durst, Amy M. Fickes, Jessica M. Friend, Kathleen A. Garlitz, Dennis T. Giotfely, Rebecca C. Goehring, Stephen M. Hinebaugh, Amanda D. House, Lisa R. Hutzler, Pamela Kyle, Zachary R. Leverenz, Kristina R. Maust, Nathan M. Rawe, Jamie C. Resh, Juli Savage, Michelle L. Savage, Anne Sebold, Erin N. Selders, Jamie A. Shoemaker, Megan Sines, Suzanne M. Spiker, Jessica M. Stemple, Jamie Jo Vent, and Jennifer A. Vitez.

Northern Middle School Honor Students Named

William T. Carlson, principal at Northern Middle School, has announced the list of sixth through eighth grade students who obtained placement on the Distinguished Honor Roll (90 percent grade point average or above) and the Regular Honor Roll (80 percent grade point average or above) for the third grading term of the 1996-97 school year.

DISTINGUISHED HONOR ROLL

Grade 6
Lacie Berkebile, Jodi Durst, Jodi Fratz, Andrea Green, Jordan Halsig, Marybeth Hersberger, Kristin Hoffman, Heather Lander, Jamie Livengood, Elizabeth Long, Valery Miller, Melissa Patterson, Courtney Resh, Brandi Wagner, Molly Wolf, and Megan Zimmerman.

Grade 7
Amanda Bell, Karla Buckel, Brooke Butler,



SIBLINGS TO BE GRADUATED - Kathy Yoder and Brian Yoder, children of Kay Yoder, Grantsville, will both be receiving diplomas this spring, as Kathy will conclude her studies at Salisbury Elk Lick High School in June and Brian will complete courses at Heston College in Kansas in May and be awarded an associate's degree in aviation. Kathy will attend Central Penn Business School near Harrisburg, Pa., where she will major in travel and tourism. Brian is employed at Executive Aircraft in Wichita, Kan.

Ethan DeVore, Todd Foley, Bridget Frazee, Stephanie Frazee, Amanda Hahn, Theresa Miller, Micah Plevyak, Emily Rawe, Jared Resh, Joel Resh, Mark



Roberts, Ashley Robinson, and Nicole Sisler.

Grade 8

Bobbi Beitzel, Jessica Bowes, Marcia Brenneman, Brandon Butler, Lacie

Dumire, Jennifer Fischer, Julie Green, Brandon Hoover, Blake Huber, Kristin Lander, Matthew Layman, Kathryn O'Donnell, Donna Schmidt, and Mark Wolf.

REGULAR HONOR ROLL

Grade 6
Tabitha Beitzel, Gregory Bender, Megan Brenneman, Cody Butler, Lorretta Buxton, William Cramer, Brooke Fitzgerald, Tessa Folk, Carrie Friend, Joseph Garlitz, Amanda Geisler, Michael Guard, Mitchell Guard, Kristie Johnson, Valerie Mastey, Dennis McKeever, James Michaels, Dallas Miller, Fawn Miller, Heather Minnick, Carl Moats, Emily Nixon, Tina Opel, Kaylan Powell, William Rock, Kristen Scheff, Vicki Schlosnagle, Erin Smith, Landon Southerly, and Robert Vagnetti.

Grade 7

Terri Adkins, Crystal

Arndt, Jessica Beachy, Randy Beitzel, Mark Bergstrom, Jolene Brenneman, Ashley Broadwater, Rachel Bruch, Tarry Cosner, Anne Donaldson, Emily Downton, Jamie Dumire, Eric Durst, Christine Flockhart, Jasmine Friend, Rebecca Friend, Douglas Galica, Holly Hare, Steffanie Kahl, Jason Kamp, Ronald Kyle, Tanya McIntosh, Christopher McKenzie, Andrew Meyers, April Miller, Erin Neil, Andrea Opel, Amber Peterson, Jason Preson, James Thomas, Amy Umbel, Kenneth Wampler, Cody Warn, Ashley Warnick, Jesse Warnick, Amber Weimer, John Weimer, Denise Wilt, and Adam Younk.

Grade 8

Kola Artice, Laura Bach, Heidi Beal, Brian Beitzel, Keith Bender, Shawn Boogher, Dallas Brenneman,

Jessica Brenneman, Douglas Broadwater, Heather Browning, Heather Butler, Jess Carey, Kelly Carr, Aaron Childs, Crystal Cone, Collen DuBose, Lindsay Festerman, Andrew Fike, Samantha Fontaine, Brian Frazee, Jeremy Frazee, Carly Friend, Kenneth Gilpin, Grace Giotfely, Jennifer Goehring, Jamie Grove, Jeremiah Guard, Heather Hook, Amanda Kamp, James Kenner, Joel Kolbe, Bradley Maust, Misty McFarland, Lauren McIntosh, Renee Meyers, Cynthia Mitchell, Amanda Nazelrod, Miranda Rounds, Leigh Ann Scheff, Brian Schroyer, Jessica Selders, Dennis Thorp, Robert Wiland, Kathleen Williams, and Brandi Yommer.

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PARADISE POINT ROAD - #2150772 - Lovely setting offering immaculate 4 BR level LF home. Excellent views from kitchen, dining & great room. Large private deck & all day sunshine. Hurry, it won't last. \$299,900



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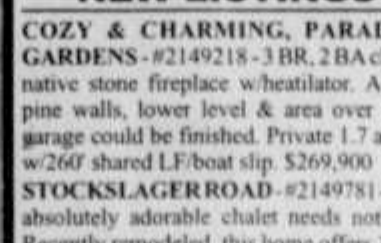
LAKE ACCESS, SKY VALLEY - #2154055 - Contemporary rancher with 3 BR, 1 BA on 49+ lot in lake access community. \$99,900



3 ACRES IN PLEASANT VALLEY - #2158280 - Nice 3 BR, 2 BA split w/1-car attached garage. Unfinished hunt, w/wood stove. 24x32 pole bldg. being used as 3-car garage & workshop. 20x32 pole bldg. being used as barn & fenced for horses. \$95,000



MOUNTAINSIDE - #2153507 - Spacious vacation chalet with 2 master suites and 2 master baths, plus 2 bedrooms and 1 bath on main level. Stone fireplace & cathedral in great room. Filtered view of Deep Creek Lake. Amenities include tennis courts & marina club. \$249,900



COZY & CHARMING, PARADISE GARDENS - #2149218 - 3 BR, 2 BA chalet, native stone fireplace w/heater. Accent pine walls, lower level & area over 2-car garage could be finished. Private 1.7 ac. lot w/260' shared LF/boat slip. \$269,900

STOCKSLAGER ROAD - #2149781 - This absolutely adorable chalet needs nothing! Recently remodeled, this home offers 3 levels of living space. 4 BR, 3 BA, living room & loft! Sleeps 10 with ease. 2 stone fireplaces. New propane furnace. Level lakefront lot w/type "A" dock. \$279,000

"WHAT A VIEW," GLENDALE ROAD - #2143973 - This wonderful home has a million dollar view of the south end of Deep Creek and includes lake access and a boat slip. Totally updated in 1993, the home features fireplace, 5 BR, 3 BA & large lakeside deck. \$225,000

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DEEP CREEK DRIVE - #2157090 - Conveniently located duplex within walking distance of restaurants and lake activities. Each unit features 2 BR, living room, dining room, & full bath. Good rental history. Rent one, enjoy one! A good buy at \$107,500

LAKE VIEW, LIKE NEW!! ROCK LODGE ROAD - #2132793 - You must see this home! Too many upgrades to mention. Lake view. State park borders property. 3 BR, 2 BA, new kitchen, furnace, carpet, & great master BR. Just \$124,900

LEVEL LAKEFRONT PINEBREEZE CONDO - #2143397 - Great rental unit, completely furnished with assigned boat slip. \$129,000

LAKE VIEW, LAKEVIEW ESTATES - #2141867 - 3 BR, 2 BA condo w/great lake view. Cathedral ceilings, air conditioning & garage. Lots of space. Parking at your door. \$119,000

GRANTSVILLE - #2158850 - Beautiful 3 BR, 2 1/2 BA, 2-story home w/plenty of extras. \$124,900

HOYES SANG RUN ROAD - #2116093 - Raised rancher with all the extras. This well maintained home features 2 floors of complete living! Bedrooms on both floors & large common areas. Large detached garage and additional out buildings & pool on 3+ acres. Many more extras. \$94,900

GREAT STARTER OR GETAWAY, HOYES SANG RUN - #2118271 - This cottage in the woods features 2 BR, 1 BA, kitchen/dining combo & living room. On 1+ acre. New roof, well and septic! Very cozy. \$44,000

NOT MANY LIKE THIS LEFT, MT. LAKE PARK - #2152110 - Incredibly well kept Victorian situated on 3 town lots. Call for complete details. \$94,000

VINDEE ROAD - #2146622 - Nice home for the price in this 2 BR home w/loads of potential. Only 1/2 mile off Rt. 38. Convenient to Oakland & Westernport. Oil heat, partial bsmt., & large 2.28 acre lot. 2-car garage started, needs to be finished. \$33,900

WHITE ROCK AREA - #2148936 - Approx. 25% ac., 11 in Maryland and 14+ ac. in W. Va. Great hunting land. Perfect for 4-wheeling & great getaway spot. \$34,000

APPALACHIAN VILLAGE, IF YOU WANT NATURE! - #2142227 - This 19+ acre parcel is totally wooded, add a small stream, wildlife, utilities & road to property line. Don't miss this opportunity! \$39,900

NEST LICK ACRES - #2146962 - Well maintained double wide on full foundation. 2-car garage. Paved driveway. Nicely landscaped w/lots of trees & shrubs. \$95,000

OAKLAND - #2146738 - 2 acre lot with lots of privacy. \$12,000

CLOSE TO LAKE ACTIVITIES, ROCK LODGE ROAD - #2143543 - 1.02 ac. wooded lot with well. \$17,000

WONDERFUL LOCATION, MOSSER ROAD - #2143435 - Close to Deep Creek Lake. Would make great permanent or vacation living. 3 BR, 2 BA, open and airy feeling. plus views of fields & mountains. \$82,900

ROMANNOSE SPA - #2141757 - Wooded building site close to all lake activities. \$5,900

CLOSE TO LAKE ACTIVITIES, SPRINGWOOD ACRES - #2140288 - 5.11 acre wooded building site with lots of privacy. \$29,900

PRIVATE, WOODED LOT, BUMBLE BEE ROAD - #2139925 - 7.36 acre wooded lot located only minutes from all Deep Creek amenities. Has approved perk site. Offers privacy, yet very conveniently located. \$29,900

ROMANNOSE SPA - #2141755 - Wooded building home site with views of lake and close to all lake activities. \$4,750

CHEAP BUILDING SITES! MT. LAKE PARK - #2158640 - Two lots at "O" Street. Buyer pays for hook ups. Surveyed. \$7,500 & \$8,000

BACKBONE RIDGE - #2159475 - 3.99 acre wooded building site with driveway & garage. Site cleared. \$14,900

ROYAL CHARLOTTE SUBDIVISION - #2154042 - 2.12 acre wooded building site with view of the mountain. \$15,000

YOUGHIOGHENY MOUNTAIN RESORT - #2154039 - Wooded. 46 ac lot close to entrance. \$1,500

YOUGHIOGHENY MOUNTAIN - #2146726 - 46 acre wooded lot. Close to entrance. \$1,500

THAYERVILLE - #2157022 - The place to be for the most central location at Deep Creek Lake. A skip to your lakefront and private boat dock from this 4 BR, 4 BA home. Most important is the unquestionable view! \$319,900

DEEPCREEK DRIVE - #2019408 - Unique ownership opportunity awaits you at Penn Mar Estates! Well maintained 2 BR mobile unit offers easy access to beach area w/dock. Reasonable annual fee covers taxes, water sewerage and more. \$69,000

BLAKESLEE - #00009208 - Great permanent or vacation home with outstanding features which must be seen to be appreciated. Quality construction, screened porch, 2-car garage, 2 FP, 4 BR, 3 1/2 BA. \$282,500

PENN COVE ROAD - #00008986 - Cozy lake access 3 BR log home with full length covered porch. Directly across from dock area with a wooded lot. Fireplace & open kitchen. \$156,000

OWNER FINANCING AVAILABLE! BUMBLE BEE RD. - #2092357 - 4 BR, 2 1/2 BA near lake with views of slopes. Would make great rental property. Large yard & detached double garage. Let property pay for itself. \$82,900

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WELL MAINTAINED, BUMBLE BEE ROAD - #2034675 - Lake view & slope views with large yard. Enjoy this 3 BR home. Lots of indoor & outdoor living space to enjoy. \$74,900

DEEP CREEK VILLAGE - #2039721 - Adorable lakefront condo within walking distance to ski slopes! Very nicely done unit and everything goes! Ready for you to enjoy! Also very good rental history, so start renting immediately! \$139,900

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MITCHELL MANOR - #2037030 - Well maintained 2200 sq. ft. split level home on private lot in Mitchell Manor. This 3 BR, 2 1/2 BA home has many extras. \$124,900

GRANTSVILLE - #2000588 - Well maintained 3 BR, 2 BA ranch home w/full basement, 2-car garage situated on .92 acre landscaped lot. \$84,900

BREATHTAKING COUNTRY VIEWS - #2027114 - From all around this property! Like new 3 BR 2 BA home w/full bsmt. Spacious living areas. Close to Accident Elementary School. Fenced in back yard. \$89,500

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Bloodmobile To Visit Oakland And Friendsville

The American Red Cross Bloodmobile will visit Oakland this Friday, April 25, and Friendsville the following Friday, May 2. Donors will be received at the Oakland Armory from 11:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. this Friday and at the Laurel Run Church of God on Friday, May 2, from noon until 6 p.m.

The location for the Friendsville visit, which is usually the fire hall, had to be changed because of a scheduling conflict, according to Esther Benedict, coordinator. The church can be reached from Sang Run via White Rock Road or from Blooming Rose Road. Mrs. Benedict said that the route will be marked from Blooming Rose.

To be eligible to give blood, individuals must be at least 17 years of age, weight at least 110 pounds, and be in generally good health. Persons are permitted by the ARC to give blood every 56 days.

According to Elizabeth Huxford, Garrett County blood services chairman, the Red Cross is seeking sponsors to cover the cost of the canteen. For example, the Oakland-Mt. Lake Park Lions Club is sponsoring this Friday's Oakland visit. Volunteer walkers, canteen staff, greeters, and set-up crews are also needed. Those interested in assisting in one or more of these ways are asked to contact Huxford at 387-2280 or the local ARC office at 387-2570.

First United Announces First Quarter Earnings

First United Corporation, Oakland, has announced earnings for the first quarter of 1997.

"During the first quarter our organization continued with our process improvement. For a corporation such as ours, change is the engine of growth and the spark for creativity. We are continuing to evaluate ways that the bank can forge ahead into the 21st century with the vision, infrastructure, and capital strength to grow and prosper," stated William B. Grant, chairman of the board and chief executive officer.

Grant explained that the company concentrated its efforts during the first quarter of 1997 reshaping the organization as it reconfigured its community office network to gain efficiencies, and improved delivery systems through technology investment in order to respond quickly to customers' needs. "Throughout this process First United National Bank & Trust maintained its tradition of no lay-offs affecting its employees. For those employees accepting the voluntary severance package, the board of directors authorized a total of \$350,000 to be charged against earnings during the first quarter of 1997," Grant said.



BOARD OF DIRECTORS members for the 1997-98 Deep Creek Lake-Garrett County Promotion Council were recently announced. The board members representing a variety of local businesses gathered for this photo. From left to right in the front row are Jan Shafer, Englander's Pharmacy; Karen F. Spiker, A&A Realty/Better Homes & Gardens; Elaine McDonald, Silver Tree Restaurant; and Diane Wolfe, Executive Director. Standing, in the same order, are David Sweitzer, First Federal Savings Bank of Western Maryland; Leonard Elsworth of Elsworth & Jones, P.A.; Jerry Thayer, Garrettland, Inc.; David Moe, TCI Computer Systems; Jonathan Kessler (vice president), The Tourist Trap; Doug McClive, McClive's Restaurant; Jerry Geisler (president), Wisp Ski & Golf Resort; Jeff McCauley (Treasurer), American Trust bank; and Bill Weissgerber, Railey Realty. Board members not present for the photo are Roger P. Giotfelty, Garrett County Commissioner; and Brenda McDonnell, Pizzazz Pizzeria at Wisp.

Excluding the costs for the process improvement, corporation income would have been \$1.67 million, or slightly ahead of last year's figures. The one-bank holding company announced year-to-date earnings of \$1.38 million, or \$2.1 per share. This figure is a decrease from the earnings of \$1.60 million, or \$2.5, reported for the first quarter of 1996.

"Even though the corporation reported decreased earnings during the first quarter, the financial performance is in line with budget projections, and we are confident, due to the cost efficiencies affiliated with this process improvement, the corporation will experience a strong performance in 1997," said Grant.

Both First United Corporation's loan portfolio and deposit portfolio have exhibited growth beyond first quarter 1997 predictions. The loan portfolio increased \$12.25 million year-to-date, to a total of \$392.84 million as of March 31, 1997. Deposits increased \$13.00 million year-to-date to \$465.54 million. Complementing the growth in traditional banking, the company provides Trust Services, PrimeVest Financial Services, Inc., and Business Manager for its commercial customers. Income from these services grew to \$361 million, as compared to \$304 million for the same period last year.

First United National Bank & Trust operates a traditional network of offices throughout Garrett, Allegany, Washington, and Frederick counties in Maryland, as well as Mineral, Hardy, Hampshire, and Berkeley counties in West Virginia. As of March 31, 1997, the corporation positioned assets of \$534 million.

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MSP Investigate Theft, Resale Of Building Materials

The Maryland State Police, Barrack W. McHenry, are investigating a recent theft of construction materials and reports of suspects selling the items in Oakland.

The building materials were taken from the McHenry construction site of the Foodland store. The police also reported that suspects were seen in the Oakland area selling the stolen property.

Two vehicles were allegedly involved in the sale. One is an older model white and blue or green and blue Ford pickup truck with cap. The tailgate is tied shut and the grill area on the driver's side is damaged. It has Maryland plates. The second vehicle is a white GMC.

According to the police report, both vehicles were operated by white males of medium height and slender build, in their early 20s.

The police ask anyone with information on this case to contact the McHenry Barrack at 387-1101 or 895-1101.

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Miss Sines Becomes Bride Of Mr. Willetts In Dec. Ceremony



Danielle Ruth Sines and Frank Jason Willetts were united in marriage Dec. 14, 1996. The double-ring ceremony took place at Sand Spring Church of God, Friendsville, with Pastor Kenneth Dugger officiating. Organist was Cindy Frantz and Jeannie Ross was vocalist.

The bride is the daughter of Vernon and Freda Sines, Friendsville. Mr. Willetts is the son of Bud and Stephanie Willetts, LaVale.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown designed with a Victorian high neck collar and

groom; Jessica Friend, niece of the bride; Kim Friend and Jessica Savage, cousins of the bride. Junior bridesmaid was Sarah Willetts, sister of the bridegroom, and flower girl was Dericka Friend.

Serving as best man was Dave Caporale. Groomsmen were Michael Sines and Richard Sines, brothers of the bride; Adam Willetts and Nathan Willetts, brothers of the bridegroom; and Glenn Whiteman, cousin of the bridegroom. Junior groomsmen was Kody Suter and ringbearer was Clint Suter.

A reception was held at Mountain Top Fellowship Center, Markleysburg, Pa. The cake was baked by Christy Thomas. Tim Martin was the disc jockey. Photography and videography was provided by Shirley Anthony, Mount Storm, W.Va.

Following a week-long ski trip in Park City, Utah, the couple set up residence in Frostburg.

The bride is a senior at Frostburg State University, majoring in business administration. She is employed at S & S Market, Friendsville, and Frostburg State University's business department.

Mr. Willetts is a graduate of James Madison University with a bachelor's degree in marketing. He is currently employed as a sales representative for James F. Havice, Inc., Lewistown, Pa.

The bride was guest of honor at a bridal shower given by Christy Boor, Jessica Savage, and Kim Friend.

Glottfely-Upton Wedding Slated

Paul and Lynne Glottfely, Oakland, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Dawn Marie, to Timothy Wayne Upton, son of Charles and Anita Upton, also of Oakland.

Ms. Glottfely is a graduate of Southern High School and is currently enrolled at Garrett Community College.

Mr. Upton is also a graduate of Southern High School.

The wedding will take place this Saturday, April 26, at 5 p.m., at the Oakland Church of the Nazarene. A reception will follow immediately at Southern Middle School.

Although some invitations are being sent, all friends and relatives are welcome to attend.

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Rizers Honored On 50th



Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Rizer, Savage River Road, recently celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary with a buffet-style dinner at the Polish Pines Restaurant in Keyser, W.Va.

The event was hosted by the couple's three children

and their spouses, Neal and Audrey Rizer, Savage River Road; Crystal and Chuck Teets, Oakland; and Wandell and Steve Feaster, Keyser.

Mr. and Mrs. Rizer were married on September 22, 1946, at the home of the bride's aunt and uncle, the late Goldie and John Rhodes, Swanton. The late Rev. Clarence Fraker performed the ceremony. Their attendants were the bride's cousin and her husband, Mareva and Orval Teets, Swanton.

Mrs. Rizer, the former Fannie Swisher, is the daughter of the late Gladys Wilt. She was employed at the woolen mill in Keyser during the early years of her marriage.

Mr. Rizer is the son of Massi-Matthias Couple To Wed



Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Massi, Oakland, announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter Maria to Matthew Matthias, son of Joe Matthias and Pam Todd, Seattle, Wash.

Ms. Massi is a graduate of Southern High School and will graduate from Hood College, Frederick, on May 17 with a degree in chemistry.

Mr. Matthias will graduate from the U.S. Naval Academy in Annapolis on May 23 with a degree in aerospace engineering.

The wedding will take place May 27, 1997, at the Naval Academy Chapel in Annapolis. A reception will follow at the Officers' Club at the Naval Academy.

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the late Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Rizer. He retired from Westvaco in 1989 with over 42 years of service.

The couple's seven grandchildren are Dawn Schriver, Darrin and Brandi Rizer, Josh, Megan, and Matthew Teets, and Stephanie Feaster. They also have two great-grandchildren.

The dining room of the restaurant was decorated in a peach, gold, and ivory color scheme. The three-tier cake, baked and decorated by the couple's daughter, Wandell Feaster, featured gold beads and a silk floral top. On it was placed a golden glass slipper which had been taken from their original wedding cake to be used on their golden anniversary cake.

Guests were given a hand-made gold foil-covered rose as a memento of the occasion. Everyone attending was entertained with music from the '40s.

Approximately 100 relatives and friends attended the celebration. The couple received many lovely cards and gifts.

Program On MS Set For May 17

The Western Maryland Branch of the Maryland Chapter of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society and the Center for Continuing Education of Allegany College of Maryland will present a program titled "Living With MS" on Saturday, May 17, at the Holiday Inn in Grantsville. It will begin at 9:30 a.m. and conclude at 12:30 p.m.

The program is designed for people who have been diagnosed with multiple sclerosis in the past three years, their family members, and friends. The cost for the program is \$5 per person, which covers the cost of morning refreshments and all program materials.

To register for the program (deadline is May 9) and/or to obtain more information, persons may contact Robin Turner at 301-791-5754.

Crones Celebrate 50th Event



Elmer W. and Helen V. Crone, Mtn. Lake Park, celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on March 29 with a family dinner at Silver Tree Inn, Deep Creek Lake.

The Crones were married in Fairmont, W.Va., by Fred Hickle on March 29, 1947. Mrs. Crone is a graduate of Fairmont High School. Mr. Crone is a graduate of West Virginia University and was a teacher in the Garrett County school system from 1948 until his retirement in 1985. They are active members of the Oak Park Church of the Brethren.

The Crones are the parents of four children: Donna Seeders, Oakland; Robert Crone, Hazard, Ky.; Karen Crone, McHenry; and James Crone, deceased. They have seven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Family members hosted the dinner at Silver Tree Inn. Attending were the honored guests, Donna and Jim Seeders, Rick, Serena, Nicole, and Steve Seeders, Bill, Cheryl, and Shawn Seeders, Robert, Kristin, and Rhea Crone, Karen Crone, Richard Lewis, and Melissa and Wayne Soult.

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We wish to express our deepest thanks to the churches and friends who have supported us so much through the illness and after the death of our mother. A special thanks to Dr. Thomas Johnson, Rev. William Skipper, Mountain Glade Adult Daycare, and Starr Harvey for their steadfast help during her long illness.

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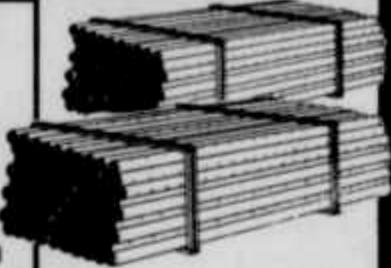
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Brown Honored For Achievement



The United States Achievement Academy has announced that Jimmy Brown, a senior at Southern High School, has been named an award winner in the category of science. He was nominated for the award by Sarah Steyer, chemistry/physics teacher at Southern.

The academy presents awards to students upon a set of criteria, such as academic performance, interest and aptitude, leadership, motivation to learn, and citizenship, and upon the recommendation of a teacher,

Prostate Cancer Support Group Seeks Charter

The second organizational meeting of the US TOO Prostate Cancer Support Group was held April 12 at St. Peter's Catholic Church in Oakland. All members present agreed to forward a charter application to US TOO International.

Presentations about continuing research were made and a general discussion session was held. Members present were Bill Henderson, Jim Flanagan, Jimmy Light, Bob Lacey, George Porter, Jim Cuppett, William Crawford, Chip Lee, Allen Brennenman, Thomas Bernard, and Ralph Burnett.

Anyone with questions about US TOO and prostate cancer is invited to contact any of these members. The next meeting of the local US TOO chapter is set for Monday, May 19, at 6 p.m. in the basement of St. Peter's Church. The top-

ics for presentation will be the research results of the latest CAPCURE conference and the anticipated market introduction of the dietary supplement Androcar.

Anyone with inquiries may also contact Ralph Burnett at 301-334-8164.

Free Programs Target Cancer In Women

Two programs are available that address the issue of cancer in women. Both are free and both are offered through the Garrett County Health Department. One program is offered to women of all ages, the other targets older women.

CANCER SCREENING
The free cancer screening program is limited to women age 50 and over who would not otherwise have insurance-paid coverage for an annual pap smear and mammogram.

The program also covers screening for insured women who have not paid a deductible and those on a Medicare plan which does not pay for these tests annually.

The cost of a physical exam at a participating doctor's office is included in the screening package. Many doctors in the area participate in this plan, including some in surrounding counties.

However, should the examining physician require blood tests as part of the check-up, the cancer screening program will not cover the cost of the bloodwork. The patient will be responsible for these expenses.

Applicants for the cancer screening program must meet a financial guideline based on family size. Annual income eligibility is \$19,725 for one member; \$26,525 for two members; \$33,325 for three members; and \$40,125 for four members.

TREATING CANCER
Should a cancer screening produce an abnormal test, another program can be accessed to absorb the cost of diagnosis and treatment of the disease.

Women of all ages qualify for this program if they are residents of Maryland, uninsured or underinsured, eligible under financial guidelines similar to those for the screening program, and referred by a physician or the breast and cervical cancer screening program. The physician's referral must be based on an abnormal result from a pap smear, mammogram, or breast exam.

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Maryland's 6th District Farmers Are Lucky To Be Represented By One Of Their Own



CONGRESSMAN, AND FARMER, ROSCOE BARTLETT is pictured (second from left) with Daniel and Brenda Nowell and their daughters at Now-Haven Turkey Farm in Rocky Ridge, Md., during the 1996 Maryland Farm Bureau tour. Congressman Bartlett is a staunch supporter of agriculture, and one of the very few members of Congress or the House of Representatives who actually lives on a working farm.

by Bernice Kepple
Farmers in Maryland's 6th Congressional District are unusually fortunate to have Roscoe G. Bartlett, Jr., representing them on Capitol Hill in Washington, D.C. Why? Because Congressman Bartlett is one of a very small minority of actual working farmers in the United States Senate or the United States House of Representatives.

Over the past two decades the number of farmers in this country has dropped to only two percent of the population. The percentage of farmers or ranchers in Congress is similar, or only about two percent of the total 535 members (100 Senate members and 435 members of the House of Representatives). And, Roscoe Bartlett, a farmer from Frederick, is one of them.

Congressman Bartlett was born in 1926 on his grandfather's farm in Moreland, Ken., and there his love of farming began. For many years, he spent two or three weeks each summer on his grandfather's farm, where there was no electricity, no running water, and no telephone, the lack of which he sometimes wishes for today, with the pace of life reflecting the hectic times we live in.

Before being elected to the United States House of Representatives in 1992, he had several successful careers in addition to farming, including working as a professor, a research scientist, and a small businessman. A Republican, he is currently serving his third term in the 105th Congress, representing the 6th District of Maryland. The district in central and western Maryland includes most of Howard County, and Carroll, Frederick, Washington, Allegany and Garrett counties. Congressman Bartlett and his wife Ellen have been married over 30 years and have 10 children and nine grandchildren.

The congressman and his family spent the Depression years on a farm near the small town of Export in western Pennsylvania. There he grew up watching his mother use feed sacks to make clothing and bed sheets for the family, and helping his father raise row crops and vegetables to sell in the surrounding communities. It was not an easy time for the family, but his father proudly refused to ask for government assistance.

As a young child, he attended a one-room schoolhouse near Export which he credits for the interest and motivation for his successful academic career. His Seventh-day Adventist faith also had a major influence on his life and education. Bartlett attended Columbia Union College, where he majored in theology and biology and minored in chemistry with the intention of becoming a minister. Considered too young for the ministry after receiving his bachelor's degree at age 21, he went on to graduate school at the University of Maryland. There he switched career paths to teaching and sci-

tific research. He first studied and later taught anatomy, physiology, and zoology at the University of Maryland, College Park. He earned a master's degree in 1948 and then a Ph.D. in 1952, both in physiology with minors in biochemistry. Within the next 10 years, more than 100 of his research papers were published in various scientific journals.

Dr. Bartlett engaged in research in addition to teaching, first as an instructor, later as an assistant professor at Loma Linda University School of Medicine in California from 1952 to 1954. He taught physiology and endocrinology as a professor at Howard University Medical School in Washington, D.C., from 1954 to 1956. He then devoted himself to full-time basic research in physical biology at the National Institutes of Health (NIH) until 1958. That led to three years at the U.S. Navy's School of Aviation Medicine (U.S. NAMI) in Pensacola, Florida, researching respiratory and stress physiology. He has been awarded 20 patents for his inventions of respiratory support and safety devices used by pilots, astronauts, and rescue workers while at U.S. NAMI.

In 1961, Dr. Bartlett purchased a 144-acre farm south of Frederick on the Monocacy River and returned to his first love, farming. The Bartletts are only the third family to own the farm since Civil War times, and the congressman and his wife still live and farm there.

After moving back to the farm, Congressman Bartlett bought a dairy herd, made up of both Jersey and Holstein cows, and continued dairying for five years. After that, he raised dairy heifers. At one time, he kept the largest herd of sheep on the East Coast—350 registered Hampshire brood ewes. His wife enjoys working with the animals, and for 30-some years, she has fed baby lambs with the milk from their French Alpine

goats.

Back in Maryland, Bartlett also joined the Johns Hopkins Applied Physics Laboratory (APL) as a supervisor of a new 30-member research group in Space Life Sciences. He joined IBM in 1967 and worked there for eight years on numerous biomedical engineering projects until IBM relocated the research to Alabama. With IBM's assistance, Bartlett then formed his own research and development company, Roscoe Bartlett and Associates. In addition to operating his farm, Bartlett also taught anatomy and physiology to nursing students at Frederick Community College. His company later diversified into land development and home construction. Over 10 years, his firm built more than 100 homes in Frederick County, many of them solar powered.

Bartlett was retired from teaching and homebuilding when he was recruited in 1991 and then elected in 1992 to serve in Congress at age 66. He was re-elected by comfortable margins in 1994 and 1996.

Congressman Bartlett serves on the Small Business Committee, where he is the chairman of its Subcommittee on Government Programs and Oversight, and on the National Security and Science committees. Committed to the importance of philanthropy and education, Congressman Bartlett donates a significant portion of his congressional salary to scholarships for 6th District college students.

The congressman is a member of the Maryland Farm Bureau, and continues his watchful representation of farmers and small



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businessmen, trying to keep them from being regulated out of business. At a recent meeting of the Small Business Subcommittee on Government Programs and Oversight, Congressman Bartlett said he "looks forward to a vigorous discussion of the use of good science, cost/benefit analyses, and risk assessment as management tools in the formulation of federal regulations." The hearing, which was held April 15 through 17, focused on the impact upon small businesses when federal agencies fail to use what the congressman calls "common sense tools."

"Common sense and federal government regulations should not, and don't have to be, an oxymoron," he noted.

The Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) and Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) must comply with new requirements under the Small Business Regulatory Enforcement Fairness Act of 1996 to fully address the impact of proposed regulations upon small businesses.

"I am committed to using Congress's oversight powers to examine the implementation and enforcement by EPA and OSHA of these important requirements," said Bartlett. "This is more than just common sense. It is the law. It should not be ignored." He added, "I'll hold as many hearings as may be necessary to see that EPA and OSHA do comply and that small businesses are treated fairly."

The congressman said that it was the Great Depression and the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1933, that opened the door for federal intervention and regulation into agriculture. He said it was expected to be a short-term program for the duration of that national emergency, but like the Energizer bunny, the program just keeps going and going—far more than 60 years.

Last year, Congressman Bartlett worked hard on the historic Farm Bill that made fundamental changes in agriculture policy. The new Farm Bill phases out depression-era subsidies and

controls on what crops farmers can plant while enhancing conservation practices that will strengthen farmers' role as stewards of our environment. The bill also includes provisions on nutrition, trade, research, and rural development.

With this farm bill, government subsidies will be phased out. In addition, it is designed to save taxpayers \$2 billion over the next seven years as Congress works toward balancing the federal budget.

"This farm bill is a bold, but I believe, necessary approach that has been needed for some time to get the government out of farmers' fields. Yet, it would maintain the safety

net for farmers committed to a way of life and a crucial business that offers no guarantees but which supplies all of the food that we eat," Bartlett stated.

This year, Congressman Bartlett is supporting several bills in the 105th Congress which would help family farms survive into the next century.

One of those bills is H.R. 86, known as the Farm Income Averaging Bill, which would allow ag producers to average their income over a two-year period, and would prompt the IRS to accept this amendment.

Another is H.R. 14, Capital Gains Tax Reduction Act of 1997, which has 128 co-sponsors. This would amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide maximum rates of tax on capital gains of 14 percent for individuals and 28 percent for corporations (including farms), and to eliminate future inflationary gains.

The Family Heritage Preservation Act, H.R. 902, is co-sponsored by Congressman Bartlett and 138 other congressmen. This is a bill, just introduced last month, that would repeal the federal estate and gift

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taxes and the tax on generation-skipping transfers.

"Over 70 percent of small business (including farms) don't survive to the second generation, and 87 percent don't make it to the third generation mainly because of the estate tax," Bartlett said.

The bill states that hard working American men and women spend a lifetime saving to provide for their children and grandchildren, paying taxes all the while. Throughout their lives, they pay taxes on the income and gains from their labor and their investment. Because of the heavy burden of income taxes, property taxes, and other levies, it is enormously difficult to accumulate savings for a family's future. Worst of all, when the purpose of that hard-earned saving is about to be achieved, families discover that between 37 percent and 55 percent of their after-tax savings is confiscated by federal estate taxes.

The statement continues: These transfer, estate, and gift taxes punish lifelong habits of thrift; they discourage entrepreneurship; they penalize families; and they have a negative effect on other tax revenue sources. These taxes raise almost no material revenue for the federal government. In fiscal year 1996, they produced less than one percent of total federal revenues.

The waste and economic inefficiency caused by estate taxes is well known, the document continues. American families employ legions of tax accountants and lawyers each year to set up trusts and other prolix devices designed to avoid these onerous levies. The make-work imposed upon the economy comprises billions of dollars. In order to pay these excessive taxes, many small businesses must liquidate all or part of their assets. By causing business closures, these taxes constrict business activity, increase unemployment, and reduce tax revenues to the federal government.

Independent analyses (according to Congress) indicate that, were these onerous taxes repealed, the nation's gross domestic product, federal and state tax revenues, employment base, and capital formation would increase substantially. According to one such survey, repealing these taxes will increase the nation's economic output by \$77 billion, create more than 1,000,000 new jobs, and increase personal income by \$56 billion over the next seven years. Repealing these taxes will ensure economic fairness for all American families and businesses, as well as economic growth and prosperity for the nation as a whole," the bill concludes.

Congressman Bartlett said he entered politics because he was concerned about where our country was going, the erosion of individual rights, property rights, and individual liberties. Being a farmer has allowed him to see too much government, too much spending, and too many regulations. "The government stifles the initiative in people," he said.

His goals as a legislator are to reduce the size and intrusiveness of government, and to reduce the tax burden and the regulatory burden. "I'm not interested in politics," he said. "I'm interested in my country. I am a conservative and want to help restore the limited federal government envisioned and established in the Constitution by our nation's founders."

Congressman Bartlett is a farmer who understands farmers, and is working to offer a speck of hope for the future of farming in this country, so that this way of life can not only survive, but grow to help farmers in the future continue to provide food and fiber for the citizens of the world.



Garrett County Cooperative Extension Service FARM-O-GRAM

Jim Simms, Extension Agent, Agriculture Science Western Maryland Cash Grain and Hay Prices
Cash Grain Prices: #2 Red Winter Wheat, \$3.80/bu.; #2 Yellow Shelled Corn, \$3.13/bu.; #3 Barley, \$3.25/bu.; #2 Yellow Soybeans, \$7.91/bu.

Soybean Oil Meal: Lower Eastern Shore (FOB) 48% Soybean Meal, \$366.50/T; 44% Soybean Meal, \$193/T.

Hay & Straw Prices:
New Holland, PA: Alfalfa, \$100.295/T; Mixed, \$65.245/T; Timothy, \$70.230/T; Haylage, \$50/T; Orchardgrass, \$70.157/T; Straw, \$130.157/T; Corn Fodder \$65/T; Ear Corn, \$85.125/T; Oats, \$3.05/bu.

Westminster, MD: Alfalfa, \$150.3.60/bale, Large Round Bales \$27.125/bale; Timothy, \$97.50/T, \$75.3.30/bale; Straw, \$115.2.35/bale; Mixed, \$100/T, \$65.2.60/bale; Large Round Bales \$21.24/bale; Grass, \$80/T, \$75.2.80/bale; Large Round Bales, \$12.25/bale.

Westminster - Lambs & Sheep (\$/100 wt.)

HiChoice: (100-120 lbs.) \$95-111; (80-100 lbs.) \$105-137; (40-80 lbs.) \$115-150; (20-40 lbs.) \$130-180.

Lower Grades: (20-90 lbs.) \$75-110.

Yearlings: Up to \$80.

Sheep: 30-60.

Winchester, VA - Stocker-Feeder Cattle (\$/100 wt.)

Steers: (300-400 lbs.) \$78; (400-500 lbs.) \$75-81; (500-600 lbs.) \$80-87.25; (600-700 lbs.) \$73-84.50; (700-800 lbs.) \$73.

Heifers: (300-400 lbs.) \$66-74; (400-500 lbs.) \$68-73.50; (500-600 lbs.) \$66-72; (600-700 lbs.) \$63-66.75; (700-800 lbs.) \$60-65.

Lancaster, New Holland & Vintage

Bull, Holstein (90-125 lbs.), \$60-83; small frame (85-120 lbs.), \$25-50. Heifers, Hols (90-120 lbs.), \$120-155. Small frame (95-115 lbs.) \$60-100.

Lancaster, New Holland & Vintage, Stock-Feeder Cattle

Steers, Choice 2-3 (1,100-1,450 lbs.), \$65.50-69; Heifers, Choice 2-3 (1,025-1,300 lbs.), \$62.25-67; Cows, Bkg. Util. & Comm. 2-3, \$40-44.50; Bullocks, Choice 2-3 (1,200-1,350 lbs.), \$56.50-64.50; Bulls, YG 1 (1,200-2,200 lbs.), \$44-51; Vealers, Choice (220-350 lbs.), \$70-85; Calves, Good & Choice (300-450 lbs.), \$50-70.

FSA Updates Crop Insurance Requirements

For farmers with crop insurance, the deadline to provide actual production history (APH) records for 1996 crops covered by crop insurance is April 29, according to Mike Kozier, Garrett/Allegheny Farm Service Agency director. Providing APH records will help increase insured protection levels for insured crops. Failure to provide APH records will result in a factored yield being used to calculate an insured protection level guarantee.

Farmers with crop insurance for the 1997 crop are required to report where and when they planted their spring seed crops. The deadlines are: small grains, May 31, and corn, July 15. For other farmers who don't have crop insurance, the deadline for reporting all crops is July 15.

Also, farmers should notify the Farm Service Agency office of any changes to their farming operation such as dropping or adding farms. Those with that information may contact the Garrett County FSA Office at 301-334-1901 or the Allegheny County FSA Office at 301-777-1536.

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Maryland Soybean Acreage Up

Planting intentions for 1997 are mainly unchanged from 1996 planted areas. Most commodities remain the same, with soybean planting intentions increasing and winter wheat's planting intentions decreasing.

Based on a survey conducted in early March by the Maryland Agricultural Statistics Service, farmers in the state plan to seed 510,000 acres to soybeans in 1997, up four percent from the 490,000 acres devoted to soybeans in 1996.

Corn planting has remained unchanged at 530,000 acres in 1997. Winter wheat acreage is expected to decrease to 220,000 acres planted in 1997, down 6.4 percent from last year's acreage of 235,000. Barley acreage planted has remained unchanged at 55,000 acres as well as rye acreage planted at 25,000 acres. Tobacco acreage is also expected to stay the same at 8,000 acres. Oats acreage planted is expected to increase to 10,000 acres as compared to 9,000 acres in 1996.

Nationally, based on March 1 climate and economic conditions, farmers intend to plant 81.4 million acres of corn for all purposes in 1997, up two percent from last year and 14 percent above 1995. Soybean plantings are estimated at 68.8 million acres for 1997, up seven percent from 1996 and 10 percent above 1995.

These acreage estimates reflect grower intentions as of March 1, 1997. Actual acreage planted may vary from data included in this report. Growers may change their intentions after the survey because of the effects of weather, availability of production inputs, change in economic conditions prior to planting, or the implications of this report.

Vegetable Planting Begins On Farms Across Maryland

Vegetable planting got off to a good start across the state this week. Sweet corn planting was ahead of the five-year average. Tomato and cucumber planting were slightly ahead of the five-year average. Potato planting was well ahead of the normal pace. Field corn planting was running slightly ahead of the five-year average.

Wheat condition was two percent very poor, three percent poor, 17 percent fair, 64 percent good, and 14 percent excellent. The barley crop was two percent very poor, three percent poor, 18 percent fair, 57 percent good, and 20 percent excellent. Rye condition was one percent poor, 22 percent fair, 64 percent good, and 13 percent excellent. Rye heading began and quickly jumped ahead of normal. Pastures were two percent poor, 21 percent fair, 55 percent good, and 22 percent excellent. Hay supplies varied statewide, but were mostly adequate overall. Peaches continued to bloom well ahead of average. There were continued reports from various parts of Maryland concerning damage to the peach crop. Apples and strawberries were also blooming ahead of the usual pace.

Topsoil moisture was seven percent short, 82 percent adequate, and 11 percent surplus. Subsoil moisture was one percent short, 85 percent adequate and 14 percent surplus. There was an average of 5.4 days suitable for fieldwork for the week ending on April 20.

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Market report for Monday, April 21, 1997.

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Hogs, top quality, up to \$54.10; heavy, up to \$50; light, \$30 to 47. Sows, \$35 to 48.50. Male Hogs, \$24 to 39. Lambs, light, \$90 to 100.

PRESTON FARMERS MARKET, INC.

Market report for April 21, 1997.

Baby Calves by the head, \$4 to 30; Baby Calves by the cwt., \$32.50 to 40. Calves (150 to 300 lbs.) \$65 to 98; Steers (300 to 499 lbs.) \$74.50 to 84; (500 to 700 lbs.) \$68 to 86.50; (700 to 999 lbs.) \$69 to 81.50; (1,000 lbs. and up) \$57 to 68. Heifers (300 to 499 lbs.)

\$55 to 67.50; (500 to 700 lbs.) \$64 to 77; (700 to 999 lbs.) \$47 to 68; (1,000 lbs. and up) \$46 to 58. Slaughter Cows by the cwt., \$24 to 50. Cull Cows by the cwt. \$11 to 24. Bred Cows and Heifers by the cwt., \$42 to 53. Cows with calves by the head, \$295 to 675. Bulls by the cwt. - light, \$53 to 72. Lambs (85 to 100 lbs.) \$111 to 117. Ewes by the cwt. \$32 to 40. Goats, \$25 to 60. Horses, \$400 to 950. Ponies \$175 to 700. Hay \$1.10 to 2.40.

GRANTSVILLE STOCKYARDS

Market report for Saturday, April 19, 1997.

Stock Steers & Bulls (200 to 500 lbs.), \$50 to 80. Stock Heifers, \$40 to 69. Slaughter Steers, medium to good, \$45 to 62. Holstein Steers, light, \$30 to 37.50. Slaughter Heifers, good to choice, \$60 to 64; medium to good, \$42 to 57. Bulls, heavy, \$42 to 46; light, \$30 to 45. Cows, utility (holsteins), \$36 to 43.50; canners, \$30 to 35; culls, \$28 and down. Veals, good to choice, up to \$80; medium to good, \$35 to 55. Bob Calves, \$20 and down. Holstein Bull Calves, return to farm (90 to 120 lbs.), \$30 to 50. Beef Cross Calves, return to farm, up to \$100.

Hogs, top quality, \$50 to 55.25; heavy, \$50 to 54; light, \$41 to 49.75. Feeder Pigs, by head, up to \$80. Sows, up to \$47. Male Hogs, up to \$42. Lambs (70 to 85 lbs.), up to \$142; (85 to 125 lbs.), up to \$130; (30 to 60 lbs.) up to \$185; culls, \$60 and down. Sheep, up to \$55. Goats, large, by head, \$50 to 100; medium, by head, \$20 to 60; small, by head, \$8 to 38.

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11 Mother's Day National Hospital Week May 11-17	12 Diabetes Class 10 a.m. Boardroom No Fee	13 CPR Class 8 a.m.-noon Community Services Center \$10 Fee	14 Blood Screening Flowery Vale Senior Center (Accident) 7-9:30 a.m. 12-hour fast Lupus Support Group 6:30 p.m., Boardroom	15 Cardiac Rehab 9:30 a.m. Boardroom		17 GIFT Yard Sale 8 a.m.-noon Community Services Center
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Tenth Annual Highland Fest Set For June 7

The 10th annual McHenry Highland Festival will be held Saturday, June 7, at the Garrett County Fairgrounds on Route 219 in McHenry from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Festival field activities will include amateur athletic competitions, sheepdog exhibitions, grand opening ceremonies with parade of clans and tartans, massed bands, and the Scottish Military Heritage Society. Other field activities include bagpipe band concerts, Kilted Mile Race, Ladies' Haggis Hurl, children's games, and other events.

Indoor stage and other activities include Scottish country dancing, folk music by renowned Scottish singer Carl Peterson, performances by harper Lynne Barnes, and Scottish fiddling by Bonnie Rideout, 3-time U.S. Fiddle Champion. Amateur solo piping competitions and highland dance competitions are also a part of the festival.

The festival will also fea-



VFW SUPPORTS SOCIETY - Post #10077, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Deer Park, recently provided a financial boost to the Garrett County Historical Society, as the VFW members held a Big Bucks Bingo night and donated the proceeds. The money will be used by the society to help pay for the former Professional Building in downtown Oakland, which now houses the society headquarters and the Garrett County Historical Museum. The VFW raises funds on a regular basis to assist other charitable organizations and community projects. Pictured from left above are: Ed Nazelrod and Dale Simpson, VFW members who serve on the post's Bingo committee; Martha Kahl, treasurer of the Historical Society's fund-raising committee; and Harve Powell, commander of Post #10077. Others wishing to send donations and memorials to the society may mail their checks to Mrs. Kahl at 877 Fricks Crossing Road, Deer Park, MD 21550.

ture harp, country dancing, living history and bagpipe workshops, the Mid-Atlantic Highland Cattle Association

Show, and living history military encampment units. Scottish Clan Societies, shops, and foods will be available. The Athlete of the Day and Piper of the Day awards will be presented during the closing ceremonies. A ceilidh (Scottish party with entertainment) will be held at 8 p.m. that evening at Will O' the Wisp for a full evening of fellowship and entertainment featuring festival entertainers. The ceilidh will feature complimentary snacks and a cash bar. Seating is limited.

On Sunday, June 8, a Kirkin' O' the Tartans will be held at 9:30 a.m. at St. John's Episcopal Church on Route 135 in Deer Park, followed by a concert by the Garrett Community College Pipes & Drums, host band for the festival. Admission to the festival is \$5 for anyone 12 and over and admission to the ceilidh is \$4 per person.

This festival is sponsored by the Deep Creek Lake-Garrett County Promotion Council, and in part by GPU Energy and Bell Atlantic Maryland, and funded in part by a grant from the Garrett County Arts Council and Maryland State Arts Council. The ceilidh is hosted by the Wisp Ski & Golf Resort and the McHenry Highland Festival. For a free festival brochure, advance tickets, or more information, persons may contact the McHenry Highland Festival, 200 South Third

Street, Oakland, MD 21550-1581, telephone (301) 334-1948, E-Mail GCTourism@garrett.ncin.com.

TOPS Moves To New Location

The local chapter of the weight loss support group TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) is moving to a new location.

Weekly meetings of the group, beginning May 1, will be held at the Mountain Glade Adult Day Care Medical facility, which is located on Pythian Avenue behind Garrett County Memorial Hospital in Oakland.

Each Monday night, TOPS members hold a weigh-in from 6 to 6:30 p.m. A meeting follows from 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. All members of the community are invited to attend these sessions.

TOPS currently holds its group seminars in Loch Lynn.

Advertising Class Offered By GCC

"Advertising on a Shoestring" is the name of a three-session, non-credit class being offered by Garrett Community College.

Mark Husek, general manager of the Wisp Resort Hotel, will be the instructor of the class, which will focus on ways to make one's advertising dollars work most effectively and efficiently, the best ways to communicate information about one's product or service, and what it takes to get and keep a customer.

Classes will be held at the McHenry campus on April 28, May 5, and May 12 from 6:30 to 9:45 p.m. Space is limited, so persons interested in taking the class are encouraged to register immediately. More information may be obtained by contacting Julie Yoder, Dawn Beitzel, or Alyce McDowell at the GCC Small Business Development Center at 387-3080 or 387-3136.

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First Financial Announces Third Quarter Earnings

First Financial Corporation of Western Maryland, the holding company for First Federal Savings Bank of Western Maryland, has announced consolidated net income for the quarter ended March 31, 1997, of \$1.2 million, or \$0.58 per share, as compared to net income of \$989,000, or \$0.45 per share, for the same period in the prior fiscal year. The Corporation's annualized return on average assets and return on average equity were 1.3% and 11.70%, respectively, for the current quarter ended March 31, compared to 1.19% and 9.73%, respectively, for the same quarter last fiscal year.

For the nine-month period ended March 31, 1997, the Corporation realized consolidated net income of \$3.7 million, or \$1.69 per share, representing an annualized return on average assets and return on average equity of 1.39% and 11.67%, respectively, before the one-time special Savings Association Insurance Fund (SAIF) assessment incurred during the first quarter of the fiscal year. This compares to net income of \$2.6 million or \$1.19 per share for the nine-month period ended March 31, 1996. Net income for the nine months ended March 31, 1997, after the SAIF assessment was \$2.5 million, or \$1.15 per share.



A LYRICAL DANCE will be presented by Leigh Ann Scheff, Accident, at a variety show to be held Saturday, May 10, at the Flowery Vale Center in Accident. The program is being sponsored by the Accident Cultural and Historical Society and Lutheran Brotherhood. Other youngsters planning to present dance numbers are Jesse Biser and Meredith Sussman, while Shane Yoder and Robbie Gifford are planning to offer a saxophone duet. Information about other performers will be published later. The program will get underway at 7:30 p.m.

The Corporation originated \$109.4 million in new loans during the first nine months of fiscal 1997, resulting in an increase in total loans receivable of \$47.7 million, or 19.6%, to \$290.8 million at March 31, 1997, from \$243.1 million at June 30, 1996.

The Corporation also continued to strengthen its balance sheet as non-performing assets net of related reserves decreased \$2.7 million, or 42.3%, to \$3.7 million at March 31, 1997, compared to \$6.4 million at June 30, 1996. Non-performing assets as a percentage of total assets decreased to 1.02% at March 31, 1997, from 2.00% at

June 30, 1996. Total loan loss and real estate owned reserves represented 186.4% of non-performing assets at March 31, 1997.

On November 26, 1996, the Corporation and Keystone Financial, Inc. (Nasdaq: KSTN) entered into a definitive agreement whereby Keystone will ac-

quire the Corporation and its subsidiaries, including the Bank. The merger transaction has received all required regulatory approvals and, subject to approval of the Corporation's stockholders, consummation of the merger is expected to be completed in late May.

First Federal Savings Bank of Western Maryland is a federally chartered, FDIC-insured stock savings bank which conducts its business through 10 offices located within the greater Cumberland area, Hagerstown, Frostburg, Oakland, and Westernport.

Northern GOP Women To Meet

The Northern Garrett County Republican Women's Club will meet Tuesday, April 29, at 7 p.m. at Hill Top Inn, Grantsville. Guest speakers will be Delegate George Edwards and Senator John Hafer.

Members responsible for the fund-raiser fruit basket are Twila Mae Fike, Lois Rowe, and Sheila Baker.

All interested Republicans and those interested in becoming members of the club are invited to attend.

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Grantsville Teen To Do Mission Work In Africa This Summer



ALL SMILES are Brooke Rider, right, and her friend Noel Tringler on their plane ride home from Russia in August of 1996. The pair were returning from a summer of missionary work in Siberia with "Teen Mania", a Christian youth missions organization. Rider, currently a junior at Northern High, will be going on another Teen Mania ministry trip to Botswana, Africa, this summer, while Tringler, currently a junior at Beall High School, Frostburg, will be travelling to Bolivia for the same purpose.

by David Foster

A Northern High School junior will be spending a month in Africa this summer as a teenage missionary. Brooke Rider, 16, the daughter of Diane and Tom Ruckert of Grantsville, will be leaving for Botswana in

July with approximately 50 other American and Canadian youth. This trip marks the third continent in three years Rider has travelled to for mission work, after serving in El Salvador two summers ago and Russia last summer.

Rider and her companions are members of Teen Mania Ministries, an Oklahoma-based youth missions organization. The group will be performing Christian musical dramas illustrating "the true meaning of happiness." Taking their message directly to the people, the "Teen Maniacs," as they like to call themselves, will be performing in settings as varied as village schools, orphanages, parks, prisons, even street corners.

"We're going to be living with the people of Botswana," Rider said, "staying in tents, pulling up stakes and moving around the countryside just as the nomadic tribes do. I'm learning the Swahili language from tapes so I'll be able to communicate, especially with the children. I've been a part of Teen Mania groups before, and wherever you go, the children are the same. They all want and need love and attention."

Rider has no illusions about the journey she's going to undertake. "It's going to be the most challenging thing I've ever done," she said. "July is the



MINISTRY CAN TAKE MANY FORMS, including a drama performed in a vacant lot in San Salvador, the capital city of El Salvador. In July of 1996, Teen Mania youth missionaries from the U.S. and Canada performed "The Journey," a musical production illustrating that true happiness is found in a life devoted to Jesus. Above, Brooke Rider is shown beating Jesus before his crucifixion, symbolizing a "person of power" who denies the message of Christ. Below, Rider, left and friend Becky Samples, of Crown Point, Indiana, take in some of the mountain scenery just outside of San Salvador.



middle of winter in Botswana, and we're staying in the desert. The temperature will range from over 100 degrees during the day, and at night it will drop below freezing. We'll sleep in arctic-weight sleeping bags, and since water is scarce we'll shower only once every 10 days. We've also been told to expect to see wildlife, including elephants, roaming close by our little tent village."

The physical challenges are obvious, but the teens are venturing into new spiritual territory as well. "It's going to be a very intense month, and it will push all of us to our limits," she said. "We'll be constantly pushed to give more of ourselves every day. The only way to do it is to learn to trust in God, and grow in that trust. Although we'll be doing a lot of giving, we know we'll gain a lot, too."

Rider's sense of self and the world has evolved over her work with Teen Mania. "Living with the people of another country changes your own heart," she said. "You begin to hurt for poor people in our world, you cry for them and want to help them, and you begin to appreciate what you have. Coming back to the states is kind of a culture shock, seeing how much we have here in the U.S. while others have so little."

The spiritual growth doesn't stop there, as Rider points out. "When I got back from my first Teen Mania mission to El Salvador I got very angry because I was only seeing greed; but after my second mission to Russia I prayed that I wouldn't be so judgmental and have compassion for Americans. It's a matter of being constantly open to whatever God places before you to learn," she explained.

Each of Rider's overseas missionary excursions, including the upcoming mission to Botswana, are paid for through her own fund-raising efforts. At an age when most teens are saving for clothes or a car, Rider is hard at work raising money to give her time to others. "This summer's mission will cost \$4,000," she said, "and I've been working all year to raise funds. We've had a barbecue dinner at our church, raffles, hoagie sales, and candy sales. All the money goes to Teen Mania, a non-profit Christian organization, to defray the cost of the trip for other teen mis-

sionaries and myself." Persons interested in assisting Rider on her mission trip to Botswana are encouraged to send their tax-deductible contribution. Donors should make checks out to "Teen Mania" and send them to Brooke Rider, 676 McAndrew Hill Road, Grantsville, MD 21536.

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Employment Office Moving As Of May 2

The Maryland Department of Labor, Licensing, and Regulation's (DLR) Oakland Office will be relocating to a new location on Friday, May 2. Currently located at 216 E. Alder Street, this office will be closed on Friday, May 2, and will re-open on Monday, May 5, at its new facility at 221 South Third Street in Oakland.

In addition to DLR's Maryland Job Service and Unemployment Insurance programs, the new CareerNet site also will feature a variety of services including career planning, Internet

Hospital Will Host Arthritis Forum May 7

The Arthritis Foundation and Garrett County Memorial Hospital will sponsor an arthritis forum on Wednesday, May 7, from 6 to 8 p.m. in the hospital's Community Services Center. The topic for discussion will be fibromyalgia syndrome, a common form of generalized muscular pain and fatigue. There will be a panel discussion, with a question and answer session

to follow.

According to Charlotte Garner, director of community services at Garrett Memorial and a member of the Arthritis Foundation, fibromyalgia is especially confusing and frequently misunderstood because almost all its symptoms are also common in other conditions besides arthritis. In addition, it does not have a known cause.

Although there is no charge for this special forum, reservations are recommended and may be made by calling 334-2155, ext. 411.

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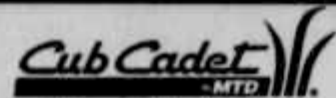
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Northern FoodSHARE sign-up and distribution will be this Saturday, April 26, from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. at the Zion Lutheran Church basement, Accident. Mrs. Alice Long is the site manager.

St. John's Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod, will toll the church bell 150 times on Saturday at 5:00 p.m. in celebration of the 150th anniversary of the church. There will be a special service Sunday celebrating the anniversary, beginning at 9 a.m., followed by Sunday School at 10 a.m. The pastor is Rev. Douglas Kabbell.

The worship service of St. John's Lutheran Church, ELCA, will begin at 8:30 a.m., followed by Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Sunday afternoon at 1:30 there will be a parish fellowship covered dish dinner and birthday social held at the Grace Lutheran Church, Friendsville. The pastor is Rev. Roland Nairn.

Cove Kids 4-H Club went to the Goodwill Mennonite Home Thursday evening to do the spring program. There were 13 members and seven parents who attended. Some of the members brought small pets to share with the residents. Mrs. Carla Swearman, activity leader for the club, was the MC for the program. Jason and Josh Tackett, Lindsay and Leslie Swearman, Michelle Bender, Melissa Paugh, and David Wampler read poems. Beth Long and Lindsay Swearman played piano

solos; Melissa Collins and Rachel Schmidt did a puppet performance; and Beth Long did a flute solo. Keith and Tony Bender shared their puppies, Keenan Kabbell shared his rabbit, and Lindsay and Leslie Swearman shared their kittens with the residents. The residents were each given a heart decoration made of puzzle pieces for their rooms. Following the program the 4-H club visited with Mary Harman, grandmother of member David Wampler, in her room.

"Puppets on a Mission," under the direction of Mrs. Darlene Schmidt, performed at the Cherry Glade Mennonite Church Sunday morning for children's church. They also performed Monday evening at the Goodwill Mennonite Home for the residents there.

Mrs. Darlene Schmidt and daughter Rachel, and Beth Long traveled with Mrs. Wanda Guard and sons Michael and Mitchell to Hagerstown on Saturday to the East Russell Hicks Middle School for the Regional 4-H Day. Beth and Rachel are Cove Kids 4-H members and the Guards are from the Snowy Creek 4-H Club. They entered Create-With-Fabric projects. Rachel entered a block doll that she created. Beth entered a checker board wall hanging, and Michael entered a stuffed dog project.

The Garrett County Horseman's Association met Saturday at the Goodwill Home. The final plans were made for the Spring



COFFEE HOUR SET - A coffee hour for prospective students will be held in the Lakers' Cafe at Garrett Community College on Friday, May 2, from noon to 1 p.m. Any one planning to enroll at GCC for this summer or next fall, and those considering enrolling, are invited to attend, according to Sharon Savage, president of the Golden Achievers Club. Members of the club will host the event and help new and prospective students become familiar with the college by answering questions and sharing some of their experiences. The club, which was organized last year, has become a support group for non-traditional students and has planned special activities for that student population. Golden Achievers who planned the coffee hour are pictured above and include, from left: James Rexrode, Vaughn Vitez, treasurer, June Riley, and Linda Rexroad. Mildred Bray is secretary of the club.

Horse Sale, which will be held May 23 at Friend's Stockyard, Accident.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hanft and Mrs. Margaret Richter visited the Durs Funeral Home Tuesday afternoon for the family of Dale Harvey, who died Sunday.

Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Steven Funk to celebrate the birthday of their son Steven were some of his classmates, Jeremy Smith, Jessie Storey, Ryan Seaman, and Andrew Miller. Sunday afternoon visitors for his birthday celebration were his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Max Bowser, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Green and children, McHenry, and Mr. and Mrs. Mark Stephens and children, Ohio. Steven was 7 years old on April 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Long and Mrs. Joyce Paugh attended the Garrett County Community Action Volunteer Banquet held at the Pleasant Valley Community Building Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Long and daughter Beth visited with Mr. Lawrence Hockman and Mr. and Mrs. Ron Hockman Friday evening at the Ron Hockman home. Another visitor was Miss

Terri Hockman, Sherr, W. Va. Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Long and daughter Beth were Ed and Kathy Long, Mtn. Lake Park. Monday afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. William Lear, Farmington, Pa.

Ralph George was in Cumberland one day this week on business.

Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Alfreda Friend were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Robinson and son Jeremy, Friendsville.

Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Simmers from Friday to Sunday were Ron and Shannon Keller, Port Deposit. Sunday afternoon visitors of the Simmerses were Ken Koester, Accident, and Ralph Smith, Marvin Gross, and Rick Smith, Harford County.

Mid-week visitors of Misses Claudine and Esther Opel were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Boltz, Pittsburgh.

Saturday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon (Tom) Reichenbecher were Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Glass, Accident. Mr. and Mrs. Reichenbecher were Sunday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Blaine Reichenbecher.

Arriving Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Luke Maust and children, Washingtonville, N.Y., to spend the week with Mr. and Mrs. Markel Maust.

A surprise birthday celebration was held Saturday evening at Penn Alps, Grantsville, in honor of Mrs. Helen Harman, who celebrated her birthday that day. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Randall Harman, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Harman, Mr. and Mrs. James Wampler and son David, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Harman, Oakland, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Holt-schneider, and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Harman. Then the group had cake and ice cream for Helen at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Harman.

Mrs. Betty Richter was a Sunday afternoon visitor of Mrs. Judy Travis, Oakland. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bender attended the Glade Mennonite Church Sunday morning for the baptismal service of their granddaughter, Miss Heather Miller. They also attended a special service Sunday afternoon at the Oak Dale Mennonite Church, Salisbury, Pa., where Rev. and Mrs. Steve Swartz, Christian Life Conference, London, Ohio, ministered. Mr. and Mrs. Bender, Mr. and Mrs. Craig Cumberworth, and Mrs. David Brenneman and son, Grantsville, had dinner together at Goehring's Restaurant for Sunday dinner. Rev. and Mrs. Oren Bender also attended the special service at the Oak Dale Mennonite Church. Rev. and Mrs. Steve Swartz were breakfast guests of Rev. and Mrs. Bender Monday morning at the Bender cabin.

Wednesday afternoon visitors of Mrs. Joyce Paugh and Mrs. Mildred Paugh were Mrs. Irene Peck, Fairfax, Va., her sister Vera, Martinsburg, W. Va., and Mrs. Bernedine Long, Deep Creek Lake. A Friday evening visitor of the Paughs was Donald Uphole Sr., Oakland, and overnight guests were John Reams, Swallow Falls, and Pety Savage, Sang Run. Mr. and Mrs. John

Board Of Ed. Has Toll-Free Info Number

In an ongoing effort to keep parents fully involved with the state's school reform efforts, the Maryland State Department of Education (MSDE) has announced a new toll-free number for parents to call with questions or comments about Maryland's public schools. The new toll-free number, 1-888-246-0016, supplements Maryland's existing Public Information Line, (410) 767-0600, which primarily served parents in the Baltimore metropolitan area. The toll-free line is now available for parents to call for information about MSPAP, Maryland's proposed new high school assessments, and other education initiatives.

MSDE has been using a variety of methods to ensure that parents and community members can get information quickly and easily. "Our new toll-free line is just one of the many ways we are working to answer parent questions and hear their ideas," commented State Superintendent Nancy Grasmick. "Ten years ago, we focused our communications efforts on school systems and generally supported local superintendents in their work. Now, however, we know that this

is not enough. We recognize how important it is to talk directly with parents who are actively involved in their children's education. I hope this new free phone number will encourage parents to call and talk to us about their questions and concerns, particularly as they relate to our school improvement reforms."

MSDE has already put in place a variety of initiatives to improve communication with the public. The department has distributed videos, parent handbooks, fact sheets, letters, and retired test items to keep parents fully informed about the Maryland School Performance Assessment Program (MSPAP). MSDE has made copies of its MSPAP Parent Handbook available to the parents of every third, fifth, and eighth grade public school student

for the past two years. Foreign language versions of the MSPAP Parent Handbook will soon be available in Korean, Vietnamese, Chinese, and Spanish.

The State Board of Education now includes 30 minutes each month on its agenda for public comment on Maryland's proposed new high school assessment program. Representatives from MSDE have been visiting local schools to discuss the test with parents, and Superintendent Grasmick recently sent a letter to the parents of all Maryland fifth grade students outlining the steps the State Board is taking in exploring the new tests. MSDE has already met with over 3,700 parents, teachers, principals, business people, and other concerned citizens to gain their input on the high school assessments.

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OFF THE BEATEN PATH - Yet 2 miles to lake, spacious 3 bedroom home with 2 outbuildings and a 2-story barn. **\$64,900**

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GCC Students Accepted Into Nursing Program

Once again, all of the Garrett Community College students of Mrs. Carolyn Deniker who took the entrance examination for the Allegany College nursing program have been accepted into the program. The students will enter the program in September. GCC students accepted are Carolyn Cook, Marylyn Paugh, Brenda Paugh, Bernadette Friend, Kela Rhodes, and Sarah Bolyard. Julie Bruckey, Ann Dunaway, and Sheila Dillsworth were accepted at Allegany for the spring semester and entered the nursing program in January.

At GCC the students have taken the general education courses and bioscience, anatomy, and physiology required in the nursing program. These courses have been articulated with Allegany College so that Garrett students are prepared to enter directly into the clinical phase of the program.

Commenting on their acceptance into this selective program, Mrs. Deniker said,

"It makes me very happy because I have had most of them for three semesters. They all scored in the high percentiles on the entrance exam."

"I teach very rigorous courses with much application and critical thinking and I am always getting feedback from graduates of our program that help me to place more emphasis on certain topics. My students hear from me the first day of class what they will need to do. They eat, drink, and sleep anatomy, but in the end they see it was worth it," she added.

Mrs. Deniker, who serves with a local rescue squad and maintains her current certification, brings the practical application of this training to the classroom.

The nursing program is one of six allied health programs at Allegany College articulated with GCC so that students can take the first three or four semesters at the local college before they transfer into a specific program. Other programs are dental hygiene, medical laboratory technology, radiologic technology, respiratory therapy, and physical therapy assistant.



ACCEPTED INTO NURSING PROGRAM - The Garrett Community College students pictured here were all accepted into Allegany College's nursing program, either for the present semester or for next fall. From left are: Carolyn Cook, Marylyn Paugh, Julie Bruckey, Brenda Paugh, Sarah Bolyard, Bernadette Friend, instructor Carolyn Deniker, and Kela Rhodes. Two other students not present for the photo were Ann Dunaway and Sheila Dillsworth. See story.

Meadow Glade Club To Beautify Oakland Signs

Members of the Meadow Glade Club will hold a special meeting on Friday, April 25, at 3 p.m. at the Extension Office in Oakland. The club is joining the County Beautification Program and will be making plans for planting a variety of flowers at the "Welcome to Oakland" signs.

Persons interested in participating in this effort are welcome to attend the meeting.

The club will meet next month on Thursday, May 8, at 10 a.m. in the Oak Park Church, located across the street from Southern High School. Opal Fazenbaker will provide the program and prizes.

Bloomington Honor Students Are Designated

The honor roll of sixth, seventh, and eighth grade students at Bloomington School was released this week by James K. Morris, principal.

Students who earned at least 90 percent in all subjects (all A's) were: Jason Henderson, Jeremie Mason, Donald Taylor, Timothy Taylor, and Lisa Wade, all in grade six; and Kristine Bever, Joseph Burns, Holly Davis, Melissa Davis, Lisa Fazenbaker, and Brandon Mason, all in grade eight.

Students who earned at least 80 percent in all subjects (all A's and/or B's) were: John Beachy, Bonnie Bever, and Jessica Paugh, of grade six; Jessica Brandlen, Richard Dellinger, Pamela Morton, and Melissa Wilson, of grade seven; and Wendy Breithman, Moriah Carder, Ashley Ferrell, and Stephanie Smith, of grade eight.

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To Take Part In Air Force Seminar



Eric Neubert, a junior at Northern High School, has been notified by the United States Air Force Academy that he has been chosen to participate in the Summer Science Seminar. The local student is one of 600 students (out of 1,500 applicants) to attend the week-long event, which is designed to educate students about the opportunities available at the academy as well as the various career fields available to scientists and engineers in the air force.

The seminar will take place in June. For one week, the selected students will become part of the academy -- living in the dorm, eating in the cadet dining hall, and attending classes. Along with the other students, Neubert will spend approximately six hours each day in laboratory workshops studying topics such as predicting pilot performance, the physics of flight, math applications, aviation, computer programming, and Internet education.

In the evenings, the students will take part in informational programs and recreational activities. They will have the opportunity to talk with cadets about the programs as well as the lifestyle at the academy.

To be considered for selection to this program, applicants must have a grade point average of 3.8 on the 4.0 scale, have achieved a score of 1200 or better on the SAT/PSAT, have a strong desire to enter the USAF Academy the following summer, and excel in math and science. It is open to students who have completed their junior year in high school.

The local student worked with Mary Douds in Northern's counseling office and the local USAF admissions liaison officer, Dr. John Gluck, to complete the necessary application material.

Neubert is a high honors student at Northern where he has earned numerous awards for his achievements in academics and in music. He is involved in a variety of extra-curricular activities as well as several school clubs. Last year he was selected for the Sony Student Project Abroad and accepted into the Johns Hopkins University pre-college summer program. He has been selected to participate in the NASA Sharp Plus program this summer, which he also participated in last year. He is a member of the American Institute of Aeronautics and Astronautics (AIAA) and is currently completing requirements for a private pilot's license.

He is the son of Cathy and John Neubert, Grantsville.

Walnut Bottom Revival Underway

Revival services are currently underway at Walnut Bottom Assembly of God Church. Services will be held through this Sunday, April 27, at 7 p.m. each evening (except Saturday), with evangelist Rev. Joseph Snodgrass, Crellin, as the guest speaker. The public is invited to attend the services, according to Rev. Christopher Crawford, pastor.

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ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Sealed bids for a 12-foot, one-way snow plow and an 8-foot camper top. Plow may be seen at the Loch Lynn Town Hall on Bonnie Blvd. Bids must be received by May 2, 1997. Mayor & Town Council of Loch Lynn Heights P.O. Box 2215 Mtn. Lake Park, Md. 21550 Phone: 334-8339

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT NOTICE TO CREDITORS NOTICE TO UNKNOWN HEIRS

Estate No. 8214
TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF Ruby E. Piper:
Notice is given that Lell E. Piper, P.O. Box 301, Oakland, MD 21550, was on April 18, 1997, appointed personal representative of the estate of Ruby E. Piper, who died on April 14, 1997, with a will.

Further information can be obtained by reviewing the estate file in the office of the Register of Wills or by contacting the personal representative or the attorney.

All persons having any

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objection to the appointment (or to the probate of the decedent's will) shall file their objections with the Register of Wills on or before the 18th day of October 1997.

Any person having a claim against the decedent must present the claim to the undersigned personal representative or file it with the Register of Wills with a copy to the undersigned on or before the earlier of the following dates:

(1) Six months from the date of the decedent's death, except if the decedent died before October 1, 1992, nine months from the date of the decedent's death; or

(2) Two months after the personal representative mails or otherwise delivers to the creditor a copy of this published notice or other written notice, notifying the creditor that the claim will be barred unless the creditor presents the claim within two months from the mailing or other delivery of the notice. A claim not presented or filed on or before that date, or any extension provided by law, is unenforceable thereafter. Claim forms may be obtained from the Register of Wills.

Name of newspaper designated by personal representative: The Republican.
Date of Publication: April 24, 1997.

Lell E. Piper
Personal Representative
True Test Copy
Joseph DiSimone
Register of Wills
Garrett County, Maryland
Courthouse Room 103
313 E. Alder Street
Oakland, MD 21550

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DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT

WATER MANAGEMENT ADMINISTRATION

Notice of Applications Received for State Permits and Opportunity for Hearing
Issue Date: April 24, 1997, in The Republican.

The Water Management Administration is reviewing the applications for the State Permits listed below. The applications and related information are on file at the Administration; arrangements may be made for inspection and copying. Opportunity is afforded individuals to provide written comments, request a public informational hearing, or be placed on an interested persons list for any listed application. Any further notices about actions on an application will be provided only by mail to those individuals on a mailing list of interested persons. Comments or requests for an informational hearing must be received in writing by the Administration on or before May 8, 1997. All inquiries and requests should include your name, address and telephone number, and should be addressed to the Chief, Water Rights Division, Water Management Administration, 2500 Broening Highway, Baltimore, Maryland 21224. Telephone: (410) 631-3591.

GARRETT COUNTY
GA97S001/01 - Class III-P Waters - American Canoe Association, Inc. (ACA) & American Whitewater Affiliation, Inc. c/o Larry Lubbers, 1233 River Bay Rd., Annapolis, MD 21401, has applied to appropriate and use an annual average of 1,037,300 gallons of surface

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water per day (gpd) and a maximum daily withdrawal of 160,221,600 gallons. The water is to be released from the Savage River Dam to provide sufficient flows for the ACA Whitewater Open Canoe Division Championship Races and recreation. Water released from the reservoir will be allowed to flow down the Savage River, where the event will take place. Releases are expected to be made from June 13 through 15, 1997, during the event. The course is to be located directly downstream of the Savage River Dam, located along Savage River Rd., in Garrett County, Maryland.

Approximately 1162 acre-feet of water will be needed over the three-day period spanning the event. This total water use includes water that will be used each day to slowly increase and decrease the flow rate (ramping) in order to minimize impacts on aquatic resources and for public safety. During the first 10.5 hours (3.5 Hrs on 6-13 & 7 Hrs on 6-14) of racing, a flow of 650 cubic feet of water per second (cfs) will be needed. During the final 7 Hrs (on 6-15) of recreational whitewater racing, a flow of 850 cfs of water will be needed. The 1162 ac-ft needed for the event and ramping represents about 6% of the storage capacity of the reservoir. The water level in the reservoir will be lowered by about 3 feet. It is expected that enough water will remain in the reservoir to meet the needs of other existing users and to allow a 93% probability of maintaining, a minimum release of at least 50 cfs from the dam into October.

Help Save Oakland Station

Save Oakland Station was founded to acquire the Oakland B&O Station so that it can once again be the centerpiece of a revitalized downtown.

The organization is staffed by volunteers dedicated to ensuring that this historic structure is restored to its former glory.

PLEASE HELP TODAY!

I wish to become a member of Save Oakland Station. My tax deductible, annual membership fee of \$35 is enclosed.

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☐ Patron \$250 ☐ Civic/Corporate Sponsor \$500
☐ Founder \$2,500 ☐ Founding Corporation \$2,500
☐ Other _____

Name _____
Address _____
City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Please make check payable to Save Oakland Station and send to: Save Oakland Station, c/o Deep Creek Beer Works, 318 Spring Glade, Oakland MD 21550

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REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

The Town of Grantsville is seeking engineering proposals for planning and design of a stormwater management facility of approximately 5 acre-feet serving the drainage area at the southwest Town boundary. Proposals will be received until May 19, 1997. The Mayor and Council will review and evaluate all proposals and may or may not interview consultants before final selection. The Town reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to waive informalities in proposals received. Interested consulting engineers may acquire a more detailed description of the proposed work at the Town Office at 171 Hill St., Grantsville, MD.

By Authority:
Frederick A. Holliday
Mayor

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Garrett County Board of Education requests bids on roofing materials for work to be performed by the maintenance staff. Bid specifications may be obtained from the Maintenance Department by writing the Garrett County Board of Education, 40 South Fourth Street, P.O. Box 59, Oakland, Maryland 21550 or by calling (301) 334-6906. Bids must be submitted by Thursday, May 1, 1997, at 2:00 p.m. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

After the scheduled closing time for receipts of Bids, no Bid may be withdrawn for a period of sixty (60) days.

By Authority of the
Garrett County Board of Education
Jerome J. Ryscavage
Superintendent of Schools

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ASSIGNEE'S SALE

OF
RED RUN CONDOMINIUM UNIT

Unit 1-B-3, Red Run Condominium, Deep Creek Lake:
By virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage dated November 15, 1991, recorded in Liber No. 574, folio 74, Land Records of Garrett County, Maryland, default having occurred under its terms and having been assigned to the undersigned for the purpose of foreclosure, I hereby give notice that I will on

Friday, May 9, 1997
at the hour of 3 o'clock p.m.

at the Condominium site

Deep Creek Lake, Garrett County, Maryland, offer for sale and sell at public auction to the highest bidder the following property: Unit 1-B-3, Red Run Condominium. Believed to include kitchen, living room, 3 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, recreation room, tennis court, outdoor pool, common docking and deck with good lake views. Being the same as was conveyed to Randall D. VanDolson and Reatha M. VanDolson, by deed recorded in Liber No. 574, folio 72, one of said Land Records.

DIRECTIONS: From Oakland Route 219 North, turn onto Mayhew Inn Road. Drive approximately 1.5 miles and turn right at the Red Run sign.

Terms of Sale: Deposit of TEN THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$10,000.00) shall be paid at sale, balance at settlement, which shall be within twenty days after final ratification of sale, time being of the essence. Interest at 7% per annum shall be paid on unpaid purchase money from sale date to settlement. Both payments shall be cash, certified or cashier's check. Deposit not required if mortgagee is purchaser. Sale is subject to all recorded restrictions, covenants and encumbrances and may be subject to existing liens. If purchaser fails to settle as required, property shall be re-sold at purchaser's risk and expense. Taxes and public charges to be adjusted to sale date and assumed thereafter by purchaser. All documentary stamps and transfer taxes shall be borne by purchaser. Property will be sold "as is" condition without warranty as to accuracy of information furnished by Assignee.

For further information, please contact:

Craig Ingram, Assignee
322 Alder Street
Oakland, Maryland 21550
Phone: 301-334-3724

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Board of Garrett County Commissioners will conduct a public hearing on April 28, 1997, at 7:00 p.m. in Room 314 of the Continuing Education Building at Garrett Community College. The Commissioners will receive public comments on a proposed new draft Deep Creek Watershed Zoning Ordinance which is being recommended for adoption by the Garrett County Planning Commission. The recommended new zoning ordinance includes changes to the text as well as the zoning map, and changes are being proposed in order to make the Ordinance consistent with the recently adopted Garrett County Development Plan and the Maryland Economic Growth, Resource Protection and Planning Act of 1992.

The following represents a summary of the most significant policy changes to the Ordinance:

Commercial Resort Districts - Two new zoning districts are proposed: Commercial Resort 1 (CR1) and Commercial Resort (CR2). These districts are primarily intended to encourage concentrations of commercial recreation uses.

Attached Housing - Twin and townhouse dwellings have always been allowed in most of the Deep Creek Watershed. However, the maximum lot requirements are almost impossible to meet for individual twins and townhouses on individual lots. Therefore, the draft ordinance would allow density to be based upon "average" lot sizes for twin and townhouse units. The maximum overall density would not change from the current regulations (i.e., one home per acre in LR).

Cluster Housing - The existing Zoning Ordinance includes provisions for PRDs that allow flexibility in the placement of homes. However, those PRD provisions are burdensome for simple single family home development. Therefore, a less burdensome process is proposed to allow "Single Family Cluster Development" as an option. The Cluster Option would be limited to single family detached houses and would result in the same overall density as a PRD development.

Group Homes - Revisions are needed to the Zoning Ordinance to comply with the Federal Americans with Disabilities Act of 1991, the Federal Fair Housing Act and Supreme Court decisions. These generally require that "Group Homes" be provided for in the same manner as housing for families.

Copies of the Draft Deep Creek Zoning Ordinance are available in the Planning Office, and any questions should be directed to the same at 334-1920.

By Order of the Board of County Commissioners

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CHARTER AMENDMENT RESOLUTION
1997-1

WHEREAS, Section 18-63 of the Charter of the Town of Grantsville requires that all expenditures for supplies, materials, equipment, construction of public improvements, or contractual service that involve more than five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00) must be made on written contract and must be publicly advertised for sealed bids; **AND**

WHEREAS, the same section also stipulates certain other requirements regarding procurement of goods and services; **AND**

WHEREAS, the Mayor and Town Council of Grantsville are desirous of amending said section in order to provide a more comprehensive and expedient system for procuring goods and services;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND TOWN COUNCIL OF GRANTSVILLE that Section 18-63 of the Charter of the Town of Grantsville is hereby amended as follows:

The Grantsville Town Council shall provide by ordinance a procurement policy which will insure the delivery of the best quality of materials, services and workmanship at the lowest cost to the residents of Grantsville.

An exact copy of this amendment will be posted at the Town Hall for 40 days and will be published in a newspaper of general circulation for four consecutive weeks.

The date of adoption of this resolution is April 21, 1997, and the amendment shall become effective on June 10, 1997, unless a proper petition for a referendum is filed as provided by Section 13 (g) of Article 23A of the Annotated Code of Maryland. Introduction and first reading the 7th day of April 1997. Second reading and adoption the 21st day of April 1997.

Gloria M. Martin
Clerk-Treas.
Frederick A. Holliday
Mayor

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For Sale

New solid oak tables, claw and fan style chairs \$69.00 and up. Hutches, bow china cupboards, dysink, jelly cabinets, hall butler, entertainment center, rockers, coffee tables, cedar chests, oak bed.

New mattress sets - single, full, queen, and king. Sectional living room sets. Also, used wood bedroom sets and more.

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Lower New Germany Road
1-301-689-8160

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Rosedale Auctions

Rt. 39, 1 mile west of Oakland, next to Piper Building Supply
Friday, April 25 at 6:00 p.m.

This week's clean-up sale will include nice glassware, new items from Sears overstock, 3 small consignments, and more still coming in.

Talk to us about your next sale!

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PUBLIC NOTICE

The Secretary of Natural Resources proposes to amend Regulation .02 under COMAR 8.04.08 Boat Livery Operation. This proposed action will provide for the exemption of the operators of certain livery rental vessels from the requirements of section 8-712.2 Boating Safety Education.

For further information contact Donald Stansell, Licensing and Registration Service, Taxes Office Building, 580 Taylor Avenue Avenue B-1, Annapolis, Maryland 21401 or call (410) 974-2916 or FAX (410) 974-8440. Comments will be accepted until the close of business on May 27, 1997.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Garrett County Board of Education requests bid proposals to furnish and install one (1) elevator at Route Forty Elementary School.

Specifications may be obtained from the maintenance department, Garrett County Board of Education, 40 South Fourth Street, Oakland, MD 21550.

Bids are to be submitted by Wednesday, May 7, 1997, at 2:00 P.M.

The Garrett County Board of Education reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

By Authority of
Jerome Ryscavage
Superintendent of Schools

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Ober, Kaler, Grimes & Shriver, P.C., Solicitors
120 East Baltimore Street
Baltimore, Maryland 21202

SUBSTITUTE TRUSTEES' AND CREDITOR'S SALE
FREESTANDING INDUSTRIAL BUILDING

"HYDE LAUNDRY, INC."

795 Commerce Drive
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including
Single Story Industrial Building of Approximately 5,200 square feet

Fixtures & Equipment of Commercial Laundry
Sale on Premises
May 7, 1997 at 12:30 p.m.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Deed of Trust from Hyde Laundry, Inc., to James C. Howard, Trustee and AT&T Small Business Lending Corporation, Beneficiary, dated April 8, 1994, and recorded among the Land Records of Garrett County, Maryland, in Book 627, page 217, the holder of the indebtedness secured thereby having appointed Monique D. Almy and Randall L. Hagen to act as Substitute Trustees, in place and stead of the aforementioned Trustee, by instrument duly executed, acknowledged and recorded among the Land Records aforesaid, and pursuant to a Financing Statement and Loan Agreement from Hyde Laundry, Inc. Debtor to AT&T Small Business Lending Corporation, Secured Party, recorded among the Financing Records of the Maryland Department of Assessments and Taxation in Liber 3599, folio 2253, identification number 141018836 and the Circuit Court for Garrett County in Liber 51, folio 133; default having occurred under the terms of said Deed of Trust, case no. 4812, and at the request of the party secured thereby, the undersigned Substitute Trustees and the Secured Party will sell at Public Auction, on the premises, the following:

REAL ESTATE

All that fee simple lot of ground and the improvements thereon, situate and lying in Election District No. 16, Garrett County, State of Maryland and being more fully described as: LOT NO. 18, as shown on the Plat of Block A of the Southern Garrett Industrial Park, as recorded in Plat Book No. 2, page 186, one of the Plat Records of Garrett County, Maryland, containing 1.76 acres, more or less.

Together with and including all buildings, all fixtures, including but not limited to all plumbing, heating, lighting, ventilating, refrigerating, incinerating, air conditioning apparatus, and elevators (the Trustor hereby declaring that it is intended that the items herein encumbered shall be deemed to have been permanently installed as part of the realty), and all improvements now or hereafter existing thereon; the hereditaments and appurtenances and all other rights thereunto belonging, or in anywise appertaining, and the reversion and reversions, remainder and remainders, and the rents, issues, and profits of the above described property (all of the foregoing being collectively herein referred to as the "Property").

Deposit \$50,000.00.

PERSONAL PROPERTY

FIXTURES & EQUIPMENT - To be offered as an entirety only - contact Auctioneer for information. Deposit \$25,000.00.

MANNER AND TERMS OF SALE

MANNER OF SALE: Individual offerings will be made, of the real estate and personal property, and the bids reserved. Then, all of the assets will be offered as an entirety and sold in the manner producing the greater amount. If sold as an entirety, the deposit shall be \$75,000.00.

TERMS OF SALE: Deposits, as stated above, payable by certified check or cashier's check, will be required of the purchaser at time and place of sale. The holder of the indebtedness, if a bidder at the sale, shall not be required to post a deposit. Real Estate - Balance to be paid in cash at settlement, which shall take place within five (5) business days following final ratification of the sale by the Circuit Court for Garrett County, unless said period is extended by the Substituting Trustees, their successors or assigns, for good cause shown, time being of the essence, at the offices of the Substitute Trustees. Personal Property - Balance to be paid within 48 hours at the Substitute Trustee's office. Time shall be of the essence for all purchasers. If payment of the balance does not take place within the specified time or there are any other defaults by the Purchaser, the deposit shall be forfeited and the property will be resold at the risk and expense of the Purchaser. Interest to be charged on the unpaid purchase money, at the rate of 11% per annum from date of sale to date of settlement. All adjustments as of date of sale. Taxes and all other public charges and assessments payable on an annual basis, including sanitary and/or metropolitan district charges, if any, to be adjusted for the current year to date of sale and assumed thereafter by the purchaser. All other costs of settlement, including cost of all documentary stamps and transfer taxes, shall be borne by the Purchaser. The Property and Personal Property will be sold in "AS IS" condition, without express or implied warranty as to the nature and description of the improvements as contained herein; and subject to easements, agreements, restrictions or covenants of record affecting same, if any. Obtention of any and all licenses and operating permits necessary for use of the Property and Personal Property, as may be required by federal, state, or local authority, shall be the sole responsibility of the Purchaser. The Property, improvements and Personal Property are sold without warranties of title. Purchaser shall be responsible for obtaining physical possession of the Property and Personal Property. The Purchaser waives and releases the Substitute Trustees, the holder of the Indebtedness, the Auctioneers, and their respective agents, employees, officers, attorneys, successors and assigns from any and all claims the Purchaser and/or its successors and assigns may now have or may have in the future relating to the condition of the Property, including but not limited to the environmental condition thereof, and the Personal Property. If the Substitute Trustees are unable to convey good and marketable title, the Purchaser's sole remedy in law or equity shall be limited to the refund of the deposit. Upon refund of the deposit, this sale shall be null and void and if no effect, and the Purchaser shall have no further claim against the Substitute Trustees, holder of the indebtedness or Auctioneers.

Monique D. Almy and Randall L. Hagen, Substitute Trustees

Ran all L. Hagen, Substitute Trustees
Harvey W. T. Auctioneers
Suite 411, Investment Building
1 Investment Place
Baltimore, Maryland 21204
410-769-9797

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AUCTION

The Art Garret
119 S. Second Street, Oakland
Saturday, May 3, at 1 p.m.

Framer's Supplies, Prints, Frames, Tools, Etc.

Watch next weeks paper for complete list.

Henline Auction Sales
Tom Henline
334-4888

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EMPLOYMENT

HELP WANTED -- Book-keeper, fullcharge. Thorough knowledge of accounting & bookkeeping. Fin statement prep & analysis, journal entries, billing, variance & yield analysis, accts. recbl. & collections, checking & acct. reconciliation. Must be proficient in computer apps. including spreadsheets & accounting programs. Full-time with benefits. Fax resume to HR Dept., 334-1212 by May 16. 8-11.

HELP WANTED -- Grasp computer concepts quickly? Problem solving skills? Customer service experience? Knowledge of securities and/or insurance? A computer technical support position may be for you! Come see Financial Computer Support, Inc., at the GCC Job Fair, 12-3:00 on May 3rd. 7-3t.

HELP WANTED -- Garrett Home Care, Inc., is accepting applications for certified & noncertified health aides, geriatric nursing assistants & companions. Quality of work & commitment to job is essential. 334-1844 for application, or send resume to Garrett Home Care, Inc., P.O. Box 573, Oakland, MD 21550. 7-2t.

HELP WANTED -- Service Station Attendant. Experience preferred. Job location: Grantsville, MD. Call (814) 445-5861. 8-11.

HELP WANTED -- Full-time attendant at Crystal Clean car wash, Oak Street, Oakland. \$5/hour. Must be able to work weekends. Need detail oriented, mechanically inclined person who enjoys working with people. Apply in person. 8-2t.

HELP WANTED -- House-keeper, part-time, for small lake area hotel. Must be available weekends & holidays. 387-0067. 8-4t.

PUBLIC NOTICES

EMPLOYMENT

HELP WANTED -- Deep Creek Outfitters is looking for people to help with our hardware store and boat rental operations. Openings include retail sales, secretarial and dock personnel. If you feel you may have the skills we need and enjoy working with people, apply in person. 1899 Deep Creek Dr., McHenry. 8-3t.

HELP WANTED -- Shop welder & fabricator. Good pay & benefits. Send resume to P.O. Box 2446, Mtn. Lake Park, MD 21550. 8-2t.

HELP WANTED -- Position available. Instructor position available to work with individuals with disabilities. Full-time 40 hours/week. \$5.50 per hour with full fringe benefits. \$5.75 after successful completion of probationary period. Duties include providing supervision and training to individuals performing custodial work. Lifting required. Applicants must have a minimum of an AA degree in a human service discipline or its equivalent; an interest in working with individuals with developmental disabilities; and a valid driver's license with a good driving record. Application deadline is Monday, May 5, 1997, 12:00 noon. Contact: Appalachian Crossroads, 360 West Liberty Street, Oakland, MD 21550, (301) 334-8449, 9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Equal Opportunity Employer/Male-Female. 8-2t.

HELP WANTED -- Male/female machine operator trainee for planing mill. Call about 4:00. 814-395-5474. 8-2.

HELP WANTED -- Experienced mechanics & auto body personnel for new facility. High percentage shares. Write Box 1-7, c/o The Republican, P.O. Box 326, Oakland, MD 21550. 7-2t.

PUBLIC NOTICES

ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS

Separate sealed BIDS for the construction of Contract 96-1, including approximately 747 lineal feet of 6-inch diameter ductile iron Class 52 water line, 271 lineal feet of copper water service line and appurtenances will be received by Gwen M. Evans, Collector-Clerk at the office of the Town of Oakland until 1:00 p.m., May 1, 1997, and then at said office publicly opened and read aloud. The CONTRACT DOCUMENTS may be examined at the following locations: Town of Oakland, Town Hall, 15 S. 3rd Street, Oakland, MD 21550 or Highland Engineering & Surveying, Inc., 309 S. 2nd Street, Oakland, MD 21550.

Copies of the CONTRACT DOCUMENTS may be obtained at the office of Highland Engineering & Surveying, Inc., located at 309 S. 2nd St., Oakland, MD 21550 upon payment of \$4.00 for each set.

Asa M. McCain Jr., Mayor
Town of Oakland

B-2

The "Wright" Auction House

Located 3 miles west of Frostburg, Maryland, along Rt. 40 or 1/2 mile east of Exit 29 (Finzel) off I-68.

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B-2

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OF

HOUSEHOLD, LAWN & GARDEN,
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Saturday, April 26, 1997 at 10:00 a.m.

Located at 4323 Broadford Rd. from Oakland, Md. Take Rt. 135 East to Deer Park, Turn on Broadford Rd. just beyond the VFW. 1/10 mile to auction site.

COLLECTIBLES: Coins including silver dollars, buffalo nickels, mercury dimes and pennies, quilt, pressed and pattern glass, cut glass, carnival glass, china, Bristol glass, brass school bell, sad irons and trivets, Hull vase, oil lamp, crock, egg baskets, kraut stomper, chopping block, antique wrenches and pulleys, spindle back rocker, 5 pc. Waterfall bedroom suite, and more.

HOUSEHOLD: Oak china closet, 3 recliners, large sofa, coffee and end tables, 2 bedroom suites, etagere, table lamps, dining room table and chairs, Quasar TV, Hoover vacuum sweeper, Hamilton Beach roaster, Kenmore microwave oven, much more.

LAWN & GARDEN: Statesman 11 HP lawn tractor, Toro mower, Troy Bilt Econo Horse rototiller, Ariens rototiller, Homelite leaf blower, Craftsman hedge trimmer, gas grill, lime spreader, spin spreader, misc. hand and power tools, two wheel utility trailer.

1988 Delta 88 Automobile.

Auctioneer's Note: This is extremely well cared for merchandise. Mr. and Mrs. O'Brien spent summers in Garrett County, winters in Florida. Mrs. O'Brien collected glass for many years, much of which we will sell in this auction. Plan to spend the day. This is only a partial listing of the highlights.

TERMS: Cash day of sale.
Owner: Estate of Donald "Bill" O'Brien
Ruth O'Brien
Punta Gorda, Fla.

CUSTER'S AUCTION SERVICE
Robert G. Custer, WV288 Leonard C. Custer, WV755
(301) 334-3141 (301) 387-6712

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PUBLIC NOTICES

REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS

The Town of Grantsville is seeking engineering proposals for planning and design of a stormwater management facility of approximately 5 acre-feet serving the drainage area at the southwest Town boundary. Proposals will be received until May 19, 1997. The Mayor and Council will review and evaluate all proposals and may or may not interview consultants before final selection. The Town reserves the right to reject any or all proposals or to waive informalities in proposals received. Interested consulting engineers may acquire a more detailed description of the proposed work at the Town Office at 171 Hill St., Grantsville, MD.

By Authority:
Frederick A. Holliday
Mayor

STATE OF MARYLAND
DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
STATE HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

SEALED BIDS for projects listed below will be received by the State Highway Administration in the Bid Room located at its Office, 211 East Madison Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21202, until 12 Noon on the date specified below for Bid Opening, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. The Maryland Department of Transportation (MDOT) hereby notifies all bidders that in regard to any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this notice and will not be subjected to discrimination on the basis of race, color, sex or national origin in consideration for an award. Minority business enterprises are encouraged to respond to this solicitation.

On Federally assisted projects, the bidder's attention is called to the Standard Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Construction Contract Specifications (Executive Order 11246) which is a part of the contract proposal. All of these activities shall be done in accordance with Title VI of the 1964 Civil Rights Act, as amended.

It is the goal of MDOT that Disadvantaged and/or Minority Business Enterprises participate in all Federal Aid and State contracts, as applicable. Each contract will contain a specific participation goal.

County: Garrett Cost of Plans: \$15.00
Contract No.: GA5985177 Project Classification: D
F.A.P. No.: N/A
Bid Opening Date: Funding: State Funding
May 22, 1997 Only

Description: MD Route 560 - From South of White Church Steyer Road to Bethlehem Road (Resurfacing and Safety Improvements)

Pre-Bid Conference: A Pre-Bidding Conference has not been scheduled for this project.

Minimum wage rates for each Project, if applicable, have been pre-determined by law and are set forth in the Invitation for Bids. Bids must be made upon the blank proposal form which, with specifications and plans, will be furnished by the Administration upon application and cash payment noted.

NO REFUND FOR RETURN OF SPECIFICATIONS AND PLANS. Plans may be purchased from the Cashier's Office, 211 East Madison Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21202 (410-545-5490). When material is mailed an additional 10% will be charged for mailing and handling.

In accordance with State Finance and Procurement Title 13 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, no bid, performance or payment bonds are required for bids less than \$100,000.00. However, bids \$100,000.00 and above will not be considered unless accompanied by a Certified Check, a Cashier's Check or a Treasurer's Check drawn upon a bank; or a Bid Bond payable to the State of Maryland, or Cash, or Trust Account, or pledge of United States backed Securities or State of Maryland Bonds. Special procedures for submitting cash are outlined in COMAR 21.06.07.

Bid Security shall equal at least five percent (5%) of the total amount bid. Also, the successful bidder will be required to supply Payment and Performance Bonds for all Contracts in excess of \$100,000.00.

The Administration reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Date: April 15, 1997

Parker K. Williams
Administrator
E#8454

PUBLIC NOTICE

RESIDENTS OF MOUNTAIN LAKE PARK

The Registration books of the Town of Mountain Lake Park will close May 13, 1997 and will remain closed until July 22, 1997. Any resident of Mountain Lake Park age 18 or over who is a citizen of the United States and has resided within the corporate limits of the Town for 30 days preceding the Town election, may register to vote in the Town election at the Mountain Lake Park Town Hall during regular office hours

EMPLOYMENT

HELP WANTED -- Freelance writers needed for quarterly outdoor adventure publication. Send resume and writing samples to: Weekend Adventures, P.O. Box 1895, Cumberland, MD 21501-1895. 7-31.

MODELS WANTED -- From MD, VA, DC between 6-19 to compete in this year's 1997 Baltimore pageants. Over \$20,000 in prizes & scholarships. Including trip to nationals in Las Vegas. Call today 1-800-367-2125, ext. 350. 7-41.

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If you are looking for full-time, part-time, or seasonal work, plan now to attend:
The Sixth Annual Garrett County Job Fair
Saturday, May 3rd
12:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Garrett Community College
Bring a resume and come dressed for an interview.
For more information call
301-387-3089 or 301-387-3080

NOTICE

The Mayor and Town Council of Oakland, Maryland, are seeking persons interested in the position of Maintenance Supervisor for Broadford Lake Park for the 1997 Summer Season. The position would be seasonal, and would run from May through September. For this position, the Mayor and Town Council are seeking a hard-working individual with experience in supervising, general maintenance, and experience in dealing with the general public. Applicants MUST be able to work within a limited budget, have good fiscal responsibility, and MUST be willing to work all weekends and holidays during the operating season. Interested persons should obtain an application at the Employment Office, 215 East Alder Street, Oakland, MD, and should attach a resume to their application. The deadline for returning applications to the Employment Office is May 5, 1997, at 3 p.m. The Town reserves the right to reject any and/or all applicants. Equal Opportunity Employer (EEO).
Mayor and Town Council,
Oakland, Maryland

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Deep Creek Lake

EMPLOYMENT

HELP WANTED -- Mental Health Program Director. Management Division of a national behavioral health care company seeks program director for a partial hospitalization program for chronically mentally ill individuals located near Terra Alta, WV. Previous management experience, strong clinical and administrative skills and appropriate license. Competitive salary and benefits. Send resume and salary requirements to: Box D-8, c/o The Republican, P.O. Box 326, Oakland, MD 21550. 8-11.

INTERIOR DECORATOR

Wanted to local furniture store, part-time, experienced person with good personality. Send resume and any particulars to: Box C-6, c/o The Republican, P.O. Box 326, Oakland, MD 21550. 6-31

Live-In Assistant Needed

Wanted: Lady to live-in and assist elderly woman in her home. Duties to include assistance with daily needs, meal preparation, and light housekeeping. Send resume with personal references and schedule requirements to:
Box B-41, c/o
The Republican
P.O. Box 326,
Oakland, MD 21550

EMPLOYMENT

HELP WANTED -- Successful Salespeople! Do you have a proven track record in sales? If so, we'd like to speak with you. We are a brand-new professional telephone sales organization located in Oakland, Maryland. Professional office environment, free training, outstanding commissions. We will also consider hiring experienced go-getters with the right attitude! 301-334-0800 Internet Development Group. EOE. 6-51.

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Part-time housekeepers. Deep Creek Lake area motel. Weekends and holidays a must. Must have own transportation, non-smokers preferred.
Write to: Box E-44,
c/o The Republican Newspaper
P.O. Box 326, Oakland, MD 21550

POSITION OPENINGS

The Garrett County Community Action Committee's Area Agency on Aging is seeking two part-time contractual positions for the following:
Janitorial Position - Cleaning, building maintenance, grounds maintenance person. Will be responsible for the overall cleaning of the Grantsville Senior Center and minor maintenance repairs. Additionally, the position will mow lawn and keep walkways clear of debris. Position will require approximately 10 hours per week.
Assistant Cook - Temporary position for a person to assist with all meal preparation, service, and clean-up of the dining area and kitchen. Position will require approximately 24 hours per week.
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EMPLOYMENT

HELP WANTED -- Light local delivery. Must know Garrett County well, have reliable transportation. Full-time hours, cash pay. 1-800-792-2008. 5-41.

HELP WANTED -- Sales Representative: Part-time position available immediately. Flexible hours. Previous customer service, data entry, and telephone sales preferred. Typing 25-30 wpm. Typing test required. To schedule testing call Luanne 301-895-3792 or, send resume to: Job Opening, Hobby House Press, P.O. Box 600, Grantsville, MD 21536. 8-11.

HELP WANTED -- Receptionist billings & collections clerk; 3-3 1/2 days per week for busy office. Experience with computer necessary. Please send resumes to Box R-8, c/o The Republican, P.O. Box 326, Oakland, MD 21550. 8-21.

EMPLOYMENT

HELP WANTED -- Drivers OTR - No experience necessary. Up to 30¢ per mile, weekly pay, insurance furnished, 401K, assigned tractors CDL "A" w/HAZMAT required. Call Landair Transport, Inc., 1-800-788-7357. 8-11.

HELP WANTED -- Drivers-Solo/Teams/Owner operators. Teams - \$100K+, \$2K sign-on. Trainers - \$70K+. Top owner operator program. Conventional/coast-to-coast. Bonuses, benefits. Covenant Transport (experienced) 1-888-MORE-PAY (1-888-667-3729), ext. SE-19; (graduates) 1-800-338-6428, ext. SE-19. Weekend recruiters. 8-11.

HELP WANTED -- Avon. Would you like something to fill your extra hrs.? Try selling Avon. Mother's Day is coming. Lots of opportunities to make some extra cash. If interested call Alice at 301-746-8335. 8-51.

HELP WANTED -- OTR truck driver; 25% of haul. Home 95% of weekends. Insurance & benefits after probation period. Must be over 21, clean driving record, dump truck experience preferred. Call Tom at 301-334-6477. 7-51.

HELP WANTED -- Carpenter's Helper. Duties include painting, varnishing, general carpentry & labor. Must have transportation & be reliable. 334-3899. 7-21.

HELP WANTED -- Girl Scouts of south western Pennsylvania need responsible, organized, energetic individual to work with girls in Garrett County 20 hours per week delivering Girl Scout program. Interested individuals contact Gwen Marshall, 304-598-0421. 7-21.

HELP WANTED -- Family business in need of a self-motivated individual willing to work a 40 hr. week. Send resume to Box 0-7, c/o The Republican, P.O. Box 326, Oakland, MD 21550. 7-21.

HELP WANTED -- Hiring baking position. Contact manager from 9to5 at BFS Foods, Mtn. Lake Park. 7-21.

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE -- 7 ft. round locust fence posts, \$2.50 each; sharpened \$3. 245-4056. 8-21.

FOR SALE -- Custom hardwood flooring, no sand finish from \$1.50 sq. ft. Lumber, flooring, paneling & molding. Contact: Hardwood Mill, Confluence, Pa. 814-395-5474. 8-41.

FOR SALE -- Rear tire Rototiller, \$350. 334-0517. 8-21.

FOR SALE -- 30"x53" baby bed, complete, \$25. 245-4135. 8-31.

FOR SALE -- Two 17.5" tires mounted on 8 lug rims; \$40 each. 334-1171 or 334-6425. 8-21.

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FOR SALE -- Computers, new & used. Call for pricing. 334-2688. 8-51.

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FOR SALE -- Last minute prom date. Royal blue size 12-14, sequin top w/lure tea length skirt, size 7 1/2 shoes dyed to match, \$50 for both. 301-334-4372. 8-21.

FOR SALE -- Set of bunk beds w/bookshelf, \$150. 334-4457. 8-31.

MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE -- Multi-exercise, workout bench (DP) w/barbell & 132 lbs. weights (1 1/2-20 lbs.), good cond., \$95. Also young adult barbell, dumb-bells & 34 lbs. molded weights (2 1/2-10 lbs.), \$25; both sets \$110. 387-6639/8-41.

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FOR SALE -- Looking for a bargain? Check out the Bethel United Methodist Women's Mission Attic, located at Eileen's Country Market on Oakland Drive in Mtn. Lake Park. Big black building at the bottom of the hill. Open Tuesday-Saturday, 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Quality clothing, inexpensive gifts, household items, toys, much more. All proceeds benefit local & foreign missions. 8-41.

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HORSE SHOE RUN, WV - C2143653 - Beautiful 51.10 ac. farm improved w/like new rancher, w/over 2,000 sq. ft., 40X60 barn, lg. stream, several springs, small pond, approx. 25 acs wooded, 25 farmland, close to national forest **\$110,000**

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2004684 - Affordable .46 ac. bldg. site **\$23,000**
2010144 - Wooded! Reduced! **\$23,000**
9224 - Lot 49, Great location **\$34,500**
9052 - Lot not far from lakefront **\$34,900**
8647 - Lot 73 - 1.26 ac. near common area **\$35,000**
3860 - Lot 50 - Hillside homesite **\$42,000**
5030 - Lot 52 - 1 ac. adjoins common area **\$45,000**

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C2151541 - A blend of rustic & contemporary styles, this established top-grossing rental property is centrally located in the resort. Level entry off Rock Lodge Rd. & 100' frontage w/type "A" dock permit. A proven income-producing investment. **\$310,000**

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\$10,000 REDUCTION! - D2034462 - "The woodlands at Walnut Bottom." Charming log sided cabin on 3 ac. Very private. Totally furnished 3BR, 1 1/2 BA close to Jennings Randolph Lake. \$59,900 Can purchase total of 23 a/c. & cabin for **\$79,900**



VICTORIAN DOLL HOUSE! - D2041921 - One of the most charming historical homes in Mt. Lake Park just reduced to sell. Covered porches & lots of gingerbread trim add to the beauty of this renovated home. **\$76,500**

3 BEDROOM LOG COTTAGE - B7638 - Level 1-ac. wooded setting surrounds this year-round home or perfect weekend retreat. Corner FP, cathedral ceiling, oak cabinets, 1 1/2 BA, & all snugly insulated. Furnishings convey. Excellent location. **REDUCED \$95,000**

LAKEFRONT RESIDENTIAL

GLEN COVE - C2049021 - 4 BR, 2 1/2 BA home offers level lakefront setting w/unobstructed view of the water. 2 living areas make this home perfect for extended family. Sun porch, 2 car garage & class A dock. **\$245,000**
MOUNTAINEER LOG HOME - C8815 - 3BR, 2BA lakefront home, natural woods & charm. Loft w/cathedral ceilings w/skylights-massive stone FP, boat slip. **\$279,900**

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THOUSAND ACRES - C2065585 - Private secluded 1.47 acre w/100' LF w/southerly exposure on level lot. Immaculately kept 3BR, 2BA w/detached 1 car garage, sold furnished **\$295,000**

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MEADOW MOUNTAIN LANE - C9223 - Enjoy the warmth & comfort of this 2,500 sq. ft. log home on .96 acres with 200' of LF. 3 BR, 3 BA, living room, family room, and game room. 2-car attached garage. Adjacent to State park lands **FURNISHED \$375,000**

WATER'S EDGE - C2014581 - Lakefront home under construction. 3BR + loft w/finished lower level, 9' ceilings in many areas. Many upgrades you'd expect in a luxury home. **\$450,000**

SANDY BEACH - C2040902 - Lot 5 with a beautiful 3,500 sq. ft. home having all the features for the discerning family. 5BR, family room, covered porch & large decks, 2-car garage & more. Level circular drive & commanding lake view. **\$517,000**

A "LEGACY HOME" - C2057407 - 5 BR, 3 1/2 BA, furnished contemporary on 2 levels. Large family room, sun room, oak trim, ceramic tile flooring, & top-end appliances. Cedar & stone exterior, garage, large deck & stone patio. 1 ac. & 172 ft. frontage. **\$542,000**

LAKEFRONT LOTS

WATER'S EDGE - C7915 - The cream of the crop of lakefront lots just waiting for your dream home. Type A Permit. Call for details!

LAKE ACCESS RESIDENTIAL

WHITE OAK DR - C2056926 - Great little duplex-own both, rent one! Or share with family & friends. Each unit w/fireplace, living/dining/kitchen combo and 2 BR. Paved driveway, lake view, and shared boat slip. **\$95,000**
REDUCED TO SELL SKY VALLEY - C6585 - Comp. rancher, sunken LR w/library loft. 3BR, 2BA, full basement. **\$99,900**

BLAKESLEE 55

C7275 - Chalet to be built on 1 acre lot in prestigious neighborhood. Stone FP, full unfinished bsmt., 2 car garage are a few of the features. **\$219,900**

OUTSTANDING VIEW & LOCATION

C8050 - "The Pinnacle" is the site of this new chalet, 3BR, 2 finished baths, master suite, great rm. W/stone FP, loft & large deck plus covered porch. **\$225,000**

BLAKESLEE #77

C7166 - Come in to view this innovative new construction home. Floor plan has 2464 finished square footage plus 1200 unfinished. Now w/4 BR plus 2 additional BR framed - for a total of 6! Furnished. **\$239,000**

MONTE VISTA H-20

C2016947 - Another prime new home in the areas top view neighborhood! With 4 BR and 3 1/2 BA, this chalet with a double wing is an excellent buy. Lake access with dedicated dock slip. **\$249,000**

ALMOST LAKEFRONT - C2034233 - With the lake only across the road, in a very private beach-like setting, this 4 BR custom home is offered furnished. Features Kohler fixtures, whirlpool bath and terrific views. **\$259,000**

LAKE ACCESS LOTS

LAKE SHORE ESTATES - C2033604 - A beautiful wooded & lg lake access 5.3 ac. lot. This is one of few remaining. It is located off the very desirable Lakeshore Drive and in a cul-de-sac. Convenient to Rt. 219. **\$39,000**

LAKESHORE ESTATES - C2064944 - Nicely wooded lake access lot, just a short walk to lake for swimming, private dead end cul de sac, neighborhood already has established nice homes. 2.34+ ac. **\$40,000**

WOODED LOT WITH DOCK SLIP - C8526 - Wooded lake access lot in prime development on Deep Creek Lake. Short walk to dock in quiet area of lake. Electric & telephone to lot. Ready to build. **\$59,900**

MAYBURY POLAND - C8365 - 2BR mobile on beautiful wooded lot with view of lake. Boat slip within walking distance to lake. Owner will convey boat & trailer, golf cart, Harley & riding mower. **\$65,000**

CONDO/TOWNHOMES

DEEP CREEK DRIVE-MOUNTAINVIEW CONDO UNIT 7 - C2038721 - Best unit available w/spectacular views of Deep Creek Lake & Wisp Ski slopes. Unit is a rental but shows very well. Spacious floor plan offers a family room aside from the living room. **\$158,900**

WATERFRONT TOWNHOME - C2011342 - Relax in this contemporary home on the lake. Lots of trees with a winding path to the beach area. Watch the boats go by from your deck. 3BR, 3BA, central vacuum, FP. **\$159,900**

WILLOWS TOWNHOME - C2011113 - Tastefully furnished townhome reduced by \$10,000. Spectacular views of ski slopes and Deep Creek Lake. Assigned dock slip and good rental history. Great investment for future **\$219,900**

HARTWOOD VILLAGE - C2032257 - LF condo w/fantastic views of Deep Creek Lake. Mint condition w/air conditioning. Sold fully furnished **\$152,000**

DEEP CREEK LAKE AREA RESIDENTIAL

HOP, SKIP, & A JUMP TO D.C.L. ST. PARK - C2057432 - Weekends & vacations couldn't be more relaxing than those spent in this vintage "log cabin in the woods" on 2.3 acres. 1 BR, 1 BA, sleeping loft. **\$95,900**

LAUREL RIDGE - C2130556 - Private location yet accessible to the best of Garrett Co.'s recreational & cultural opportunities. Superior quality construction & insulation. 3 BR, 2 BA, cathedral ceiling, stone FP w/woodstove insert. **\$118,000**

GARRETT HIGHWAY - C8883 - Native stone rancher on 3.17 acres w/business potential. Has 3BR, 2KT, 2FP. Great home/office or rental income. **\$127,500**

DEEP CREEK LAKE LOTS

FOSTER ROAD - C6484 - Wooded 1.593+ acre lot perked and surveyed. Could qualify for Farmer's Home Loan. **\$10,900**

GREAT VIEW - C2122947 - Great country view lot is perked and ready to go. **\$16,500**

THE CLEARINGS - C9351 - 2.92+ ac. Private wooded setting-perked-borders "Ginseng Run" - close to Wisp & Deep Creek Lake. **\$19,900**

GREAT SITE - C9206 - Wooded building site close to lake & wisp ski area. Very private **\$23,000**

SOUTHERN GARRETT COUNTY RESIDENTIAL

WHY PAY RENT? - C2038650 - 402 Spruce Street in MLP. This is an opportunity to own a home at or below the price of renting. Mobile on 1 1/2 town lots with huge garage. Needs TLC. Call office for additional details. **Only \$22,000**

SWALLOW FALLS - C2080599 - 2 1/2+ acres w/pond, garage, and older mobile home surrounded by state land in quiet country location on Sines Cemetery Drive. **\$28,500**

CRELLIN - C2016789 - This 2 story home has just been remodeled and is an EXCEPTIONAL BUY. Kitchen has lots of cabinets. New carpet & vinyl, 2 porches & storage building add to the appeal. **\$29,900**

JUST REDUCED! - C8563 - Spacious 2 story home w/in walking distance to Oakland shops. Special features incl. Vinyl siding, garage, storage building, recent gas furnace, & more. Don't wait!!! **\$38,500**

702 M STREET - C2078744 - Immaculate 3BR rancher. Spacious KT, combined w/DR, atrium door to rear deck. Maintenance free brick & vinyl exterior, paved driveway, level lot on quiet street. Home Protection Plan! **\$70,500**

BROAD FORD ROAD - C2118131 - Everything on one level! 28'x60' 3 BR, 1 1/2 BA rancher w/attached garage, utility room and full bsmt. Well maintained and nicely landscaped level yard. **\$74,000**

HISTORIC CHARMER - C2001307 - Wonderful historic home overlooking downtown Oakland. 4BR, oak interior trim, lg. picture windows, full length covered porch, & incredible lot w/great views. Detached 1-car garage. This is a must see! **\$74,900**

NESTLING ACRES - C9106 - Ranch style home with 3BR/2BA borders over 1,700 ac. state land, additional lot negotiable with purchase, quiet location, dead end road. **\$79,000**

SWALLOW FALLS - C2077260 - Wood & stone raised rancher, full basement + garage on private road that's surrounded by state land. Fabulous location. Land available. Reduced to **\$79,900**

727 MITCHELL DRIVE - C9041 - Meticulously maintained home, offering 4BR, 3 full bath, formal DR w/hardwood floor & atrium door to covered deck & pool. There are many upgrades here, you must see to appreciate! **\$91,500**

157 SNOWY CREEK ROAD - C2054792 - Like new cedar rancher on level 5.88+ ac., wooded and private. 3BR, 2BA, lg. Master suite w/jetted tub. Country KT w/breakfast bar. Great buy at **\$115,000**

FINGERBOARD ROAD - C2100758 - 5 BR log home just minutes from Oakland. Features F/P, family room w/wet bar, covered porch & deck, 3-car garage w/ready to finish room above, lg. Storage building, log playhouse, circle drive, landscaped 1.47 ac. lot, & more! **\$162,000**

SOUTHERN GARRETT COUNTY LOTS

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Local Airport Receives Grant For Runway

The allotment of \$97,000 for improvements at the Garrett County Airport was announced last week by Congressman Roscoe Bartlett and Senators Barbara Mikulski and Paul Sarbanes. The money is to be used for the installation of precision approach path indicators for the only runway to the airport.

The indicators are to provide visual vertical guidance to landing aircraft, according to releases for the elected officials' offices.

The funding is part of more than \$3.2 million in grants provided by the Department of Transportation for improvements at three Western Maryland airports. Others receiving funding are the Washington County Regional Airport, awarded \$1,047,347 for a multi-year project to repair and restore the functional integrity of a runway, and the Frederick Municipal Airport, to receive \$1,178,200 for land acquisition.

Terra Alta Man Confesses To Area Burglaries

David A. Ridenour, 33, Terra Alta, W.Va., has confessed to three burglaries, according to a report filed at Maryland State Police, Barrack W. McHenry. Police had arrested Ridenour for a burglary March 15, the report said. Further investigation revealed he was also involved in another alleged burglary in Terra Alta and another in Oakland, Nov. 7.

The report stated jewelry and money were stolen from a Foster Road residence in the Oakland incident. Though one ring stolen from the victim has been recovered.

Morrow To Lead Tommy Dorsey Orchestra In May 7 GLAF Event



Tunes and tempos of the Big Band era will have guests swinging to the music of the Tommy Dorsey Orchestra led by Buddy Morrow at the McHenry House, Wisp Resort, on Wednesday, May 7, beginning at 8 p.m.

Presented by the Garrett Lakes Arts Festival (GLAF) and sponsored by a number of local individuals, the evening's program will begin with an hour-long concert followed by dancing until 11:30 p.m. Vocalist Walt Andrus will be featured with the band.

The Tommy Dorsey Orchestra has built a musical legacy with such songs as *Marie, Once in a While*, *Sunny Side of the Street*, and *Song of India*, and helped to launch Frank Sinatra on his



TURN UP THE SPOTLIGHT! IT'S NUNSENSE! - The Garrett Community College will spring to life this weekend and next as some very unique and lively nuns in mourning for many deceased sisters will attempt to raise funeral money by presenting their own variety show on the set of *Grease* - well, it's just too complicated to explain. Suffice it to say, the show, presented by the Garrett Lakes Arts Festival, will entertain one and all. Directed by Nancy Learey and Susan Harkins, the presentation is being sponsored by the First United National Bank & Trust. It will be presented Friday, May 2, and Saturday, May 3, as well as May 9 and 10, beginning at 8 p.m. A matinee will be given on Sunday, May 11, beginning at 3 p.m. Tickets for the show are available at the GLAF office at GCC (387-3082) or at the following pharmacies: Englander's, Deep

Creek, Beachy's, and Gregg's. Admission is \$8 for adults and \$4 for youth 17 and younger. Set design, construction, and lighting are under the direction of Ben Sincell, with the help of his GCC theatre students, and costume design and construction is headed up by Terri Hagglund. A live band will accompany the "blacks & whites," with members David Sheets, David Peterson, and Tim Beckman. Nancy Geisler choreographed the fast-paced comedy. See review on page A-4. Pictured seated left to right are actors Kaylen Carlson, Linda Goodrich, Sue Harkins, Donise Connelly, and Dana Braskey. Standing in the same order are Julia Geisler, Jean Coviello, Sheila Edwards, and Jill Holler. *Nonsense* is produced by special arrangement with Samuel French, Inc., New York.

For Older Americans Month Grantsville Senior Center Notes Grand Opening And Activities

The Garrett County Community Action Committee's Area Agency on Aging (AAA) is announcing the opening of Grantsville Senior Center on Monday, May 5, according to Adina Brode, AAA director. The center is located at 125 Durst Court, Grantsville, and will serve senior citizens residing in north eastern Garrett County. The

month of May is nationally recognized as "Older Americans Month" and as such, the Grantsville Senior Center will open to a flurry of various activities planned by the Area Agency on Aging staff, volunteers, and American Corps members.

Older Americans Act Programs Coordinator Barbara Hornyak has scheduled center hours of operation as follows: Mondays and Fridays, 10 a.m. to noon, and Tuesdays, Wednesdays, and Thursdays, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. "As we are also planning evening and weekend events, additional hours will be announced," stated Hornyak.

Exercise, entertainment, and educational programs in May will kick off on-going activities at the center in order to welcome newcomers and persons unfamiliar with the senior center philosophy and purpose. Seniors are invited to a Big Brothers and Sisters orientation class at 11 a.m. on Wednesday, May 7, to learn to become friendly greeters. Physical activity workshops will be presented every Tuesday and Thursday at 2:30 p.m. with such themes as "Spring Training" (playing catch) on Tuesday, May 6. Yoga, line dancing, square dancing, Tai Chi, talent and variety shows, and bowling are planned for other days. Every Wednesday at 9 a.m., quilting and fabric arts will take the spotlight, and literature workshops will take place following Wednesday's congregate meal with topics such as poetry, story telling, leaving a legacy, and book club/review.

Special guests will make appearances at the senior center to address stimulating subjects. Donald Goldbloom will appear at 11:30 on Thursday, May 8, to lead a discussion and question-answer session on current legal issues affecting seniors and their families. Wednesday, May 14, at 11 a.m., David Dean, head of the Frostburg State University History Department, will

Commissioners Conduct Staff Meeting Tuesday

Garrett County departmental directors and supervisors met with the Board of Garrett County Commissioners on Tuesday to give monthly staff reports. The fiscal authority heard short reports from departments including the county roads, Garrett Community College, health department, board of education, solid waste and recycling, promotion council, Ruth Enlow Library, extension office, and planning and zoning - some of which are included in the following report:

Promotion Council
Diane Wolfe of the Garrett County Promotion Council reported that this year's Vacation Guide is finished and is being distributed.

"We are also mailing out thousands of them in response to requests generated by advertising," she said. The council placed an advertisement in the *USA Weekend* magazine some months ago as well as one in the May issue of the *Reader's Digest*.

She noted that the annual McHenry Highland Festival is slated for June 7, and plans are underway for the Autumn Glory Festival, set for Oct. 9-12. She also stated that next week is American Tourism Week and the council will be participating in several state-wide activities to promote the area.

Landfill, Recycling
Rodney Giotfely, director of the Office of Solid Waste and Recycling, gave a positive report on the landfill capacity rate. He told the commissioners that the new facility is currently at about 243% of its total capacity, which means it will most likely be viable until June 2027.

"This is remarkable, considering that the original expected life span of the landfill was 19 to 25 years three years ago," Giotfely said.

He also reported that the Round Glade landfill closure project should be complete in early August.

Rabies Vaccine Clinics Set By Health Dept.

The Garrett County Health Department will sponsor a full week of low cost rabies vaccine clinics for cats and dogs, beginning Monday, May 5, and concluding Saturday, May 10. The cost of the vaccine is \$5 per animal. Dogs should be on leashes and cats should be confined to cages or secure, aerated boxes.

The following is the schedule of the places and times for the county clinics (which will all be held 5-6 p.m. except Saturday's, which will be held from 10 a.m. until noon):

Monday, May 5, Grantsville Elementary School; Tuesday, May 6, Gorman fire hall; Wednesday, May 7, Accident Elementary School; Thursday, May 8, Bloomington fire hall; Friday, May 9, Friendsville Elementary School; and Saturday, May 10, Broad Ford Elementary School, Oakland.

The county experienced 10 laboratory confirmed cases of rabies last year. This year the count remains at one.

According to a health department release, several dogs and cats exposed to rabid animals had to be destroyed earlier this spring. The necessity of destroying family pets can be avoided when the animals are regularly vaccinated.

Dog license applications and free brochures about rabies will be available at each clinic.

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Shallmar Work Was To Start Today; Delayed

The emergency stream-bank and shoreline erosion project work along the damaged Shallmar Road will be done by the firm of James J. Manno Construction Company of Ridgeway, Pa., which gave an estimate of \$646,398 for the work. The company was awarded the bid by the Army Corps of Engineers, Baltimore District, on April 24.

While a press release issued on April 29 by the Army Corps stated that the work would begin today, a similar release sent out this morning does not note when the work will start. It is to take about 90 days.

The project will consist of constructing a 650-foot gabion basket retaining wall of varying heights along the road. The wall is to protect the one route to the town from the erosive forces of the North Branch.

The road was seriously damaged in September 1996 flooding and sustained further erosion after heavy rains in October. The townspeople have been waiting since that time for work to be done on the crumbling roadway. A concerted effort of the Garrett County Commissioners, Congressman Roscoe Bartlett, Senator Paul Sarbanes, Delegate George Edwards, and the State Highway Administration resulted in the agreement with the Army Corps in December.

Commissioners Submit Opinion On Recovery Plan; Archer Yet To Act

While the Garrett County Commissioners have publicly announced their opinion on the Garrett County Health Department's Fiscal Recovery Plan, submitted to the fiscal authority on April 15, Health Officer Rex Archer has yet to publicize the plan to the employees or the media. He stated yesterday that there will indeed be lay-offs at the health department as part of the plan, but declined to discuss the subject further.

"I don't know exactly how many lay-offs yet, in light of the commissioners' proposal Tuesday," Archer said, referring to the suggested \$30,000 increase in funding for fiscal year 1998 and the approval of environmental health fee increases. He explained that because the commissioners' plan falls "in between" the two recovery plans submitted by Archer in April, he must now confer with state officials to make adjustments.

"When you make a change in one area of this department, it can affect grant after grant after grant," he said. The health officer is in Annapolis today to meet with the state representatives. He said he hopes to make lay-off announcements Friday to the staff. State law requires that employees be notified 60 days in advance of a lay-off, and today marks the first of that 60 days, as the job

eliminations are to take effect on July 1.

Archer is quoted in a published report as stating "one day here or there is not going to make much difference."

The commissioners submitted a response to Archer Tuesday that had the approval of two of the three officials. John Braskey had a dissenting opinion about the recovery methods and also called for the resignation of Archer as the head of the health department.

"I feel there is a lack of confidence by the majority of your employees that will make your job of restoring the health department to strong financial conditions an almost impossible task," Braskey wrote in a separate letter to the health officer, whose salary is currently \$86,411, plus \$19,256 in fringe benefits.

However, Commissioners Roger Giotfely and Wayne Wilt stated that they wish to give Archer a chance to make financial repairs. They also noted that the state representatives do have confidence in Archer and are not suggesting his resignation in any way. In a 30-minute press conference Tuesday, the elected officials did note that the health officer has made "judgment errors," including the hiring of employees through grants and then switching them to the state merit system - permanent employment with benefits. When Archer inquired if he could now switch them back on a contractual basis, the state officials said this was not permitted.

"We have to be extremely careful about grant hiring," said Wilt. "These people get jobs on grant monies, but when the money runs out, they want to stay on, of course. We need to be very clear when using grants for hire that the employee is well aware that the job will probably end when the grant does."

In their letter to Archer, Wilt and Giotfely stated

Procedure For Getting Building Permits Outlined

In an effort to keep the local community informed of pending building requirements, the Garrett County Office of Planning and Zoning has been issuing regular press releases to outline and define the functions of the soon-to-open Garrett County Office of Building Permits and Inspections (OBPI). The office is to open on August 1.

The OBPI will be responsible for issuing building permits, reviewing project plans, conducting inspections of the permitted projects, and issuing use and occupancy (U&O) permits upon project completion and satisfactory inspection results. With the exception of farm buildings not intended for human occupancy, a building permit will be required for the construction, alteration, addition, removal, demolition, and occupancy of all buildings and structures, including all residential-type structures.

Whoever takes out a building permit, whether it be an owner or a builder, is ultimately responsible for insuring that the project complies with the Building Officials Code Administration National Building Code, or the BOCA Code. An owner who obtains a permit should note that if his or her builder fails to comply with the BOCA Code, the owner is the one responsible to correct any violation should the builder not do so.

The procedure to obtain a building permit will begin at the Garrett County OBPI, which will be located in the old part of the Garrett County Courthouse in Oakland. The permit-seeker

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MYSTERY MAN - A well-known county resident has agreed to act as master of ceremonies for the annual variety show to be held Saturday, May 10, 7:30 p.m. at Flowery Vale Senior Center. Those who would like to find out the identity of the mystery MC, should be on hand when the performers take the stage. The variety show is sponsored by the Accident Cultural and Historical Society and the Lutheran Brotherhood. Anyone wishing to be part of the evening's program may contact Rosanne Sherwood, P.O. Box 26, Accident, MD 21520 or call 301-387-6705.

Garrett County Deputies Report Several Arrests

Several arrests were made in Garrett County Sheriff's Office news of the past week.

Criminal Arrests

Joseph Raymond Laski, 28, Monongahela, Pa., was arrested and charged with one count each of second-degree assault, theft, destruction of property. The charges stem from a late-night April 28 incident that began at the Aquarium Bar in Oakland.

Laski and the complainant, an associate of his, were at the Aquarium Bar in Oakland when a dispute between the two reportedly commenced in the bar. When they took matters outside for discussion, the complainant alleged that Laski put his vehicle in gear and knocked him over with his open car door as he was standing outside Laski's vehicle. After Laski drove off, the complainant walked to the Oak-Mar Motel,

where they were staying, and found that some of his clothing was ripped up and \$60 cash had been taken. After his arrest, Laski was subsequently released on his own recognizance.

Norman Eugene Robinson, 19, White Sulphur Springs, W.Va., was arrested and charged with breaking and entering. The charge stems from an April 24 incident at an Oak Street residence in Mtn. Lake Park. Entry appeared to have been attempted through the back door, which sustained \$100 damage was done to the back door. Nothing was taken in the apparent burglary attempt, as a resident drove up into the driveway at the time of the incident. Robinson was subsequently released on his own recognizance.

Shawn Patrick Sternberg, 31, McHenry, was arrested on the strength of six bench warrants charging him with one count each of burglary, theft, and trespassing, and five counts of writing bad checks. The charges stem from a series of incidents

over the past winter. The warrants were served by local police authorities in Anne Arundel County, where Sternberg had been staying recently. He is currently being held in jail on a \$213,000 bond.

Michael Paul Sliger, 24, Oakland, was arrested on a bench warrant charging him with failure to pay fines. He is currently being held in jail on a \$500 bond.

Nathaniel Siggers, 20, Williamson, W.Va., was arrested on a bench warrant charging him with failure to make deferred payments, stemming from a fine levied after an earlier controlled dangerous substance conviction. Siggers is a student attending Garrett Community College. He was subsequently released on a \$155 bond.

Carrie Rebecca Zang, 29, Oakland, was arrested on a bench warrant charging her with violation of probation. She was subsequently released on her own recognizance.

DWI Arrests

The following driving while intoxicated (DWI) arrests were made recently. Lance Lee Logsdon, 22, Oakland, was arrested after a motor vehicle accident on Bethlehem Road on the evening of April 28 and charged with DWI. Logsdon faces additional charges of reckless driving, failure to control speed to avoid a collision, and driving without a license. There were no injuries in the accident.

Jeffery Wayne Ackerman, 39, Oakland, was arrested and charged with DWI in the early morning hours of April 29, after being stopped on Route 219 at Paul Friend Road. Ackerman faces additional

charges of negligent driving and driving a motor vehicle with alcohol in the bloodstream, which violates an earlier alcohol restriction placed on him in district court.

Defendant Enters DUI Guilty Plea

In Garrett County Circuit Court proceedings last week, a Friendsville man entered a plea of guilty to the charge of DUI (driving under the influence of alcohol and/or drugs). Judge James Sherbin accepted the plea and sentenced the defendant, Thomas L. Fike, 41, to 60 days in the Garrett County Jail.

Fike was also fined \$500 and ordered to pay for court costs, according to the report.

He was arrested along Mill Run Road on Sept. 8, 1996, by a Maryland State Police trooper.

GCC Trustees Tour Library Technology

The recent meeting of the Garrett Community College Board of Trustees was marked by a technology tour of the GCC Library. College Librarian Dana Shimrock gave the trustees an overview of new library technologies being utilized that will enable GCC students to maintain their competitive edge into the 21st century.

The entire card catalog has recently been put on computer. Now any library search can be tailored to meet specific needs, using title, author, subject, keyword, event, or a variety of other search headings. According to Shimrock, the library is investigating the possibility of putting the card catalog on the Internet in the future to connect it to other libraries around the nation, much as it is currently linked to the State of Maryland Library System.

The library has installed a CD-ROM network, which puts a variety of online reference sources at the fingertips, equivalent to hundreds of volumes of printed materials. One CD-ROM resource is BibleTrac, a computer file containing centuries of biblical scholarship, donated to the library by the Yoder family. Other resources on the CD-ROM network include SIRS, which provides government documents online, and the Academic Abstract, containing summaries of articles from over 500 journals and magazines dating back into the 1980s.

A highlight of the tour was an introduction to the Internet. The information include a number of computer application courses, vital in today's changing job market.

The upcoming summer session will also have shorter breaks than in the past. This coincides with the requirements of certain benefit programs that provide an income for workers going back to school. The shorter breaks allow such students to continue receiving their benefits without interruption, rather than have their benefits suspended during the long August break of the old summer schedule.

Dr. Mitchell also shared with the board a sample flyer informing prospective students of the new Honors Program. Dr. Herman and the board thanked Mitchell for her efforts in bringing the Honors Program to fruition. "The Honors Program will enable the best and brightest of Garrett County high schools to remain at home for the first two years of their college experience while getting a top-rate education," Herman added. "This has two major benefits for students and their families. Academically, it prepares students for some of the most prestigious four-year colleges in the nation; financially, it markedly cuts the family's cost of a full four-year tuition at such an institution," Herman said.

Financial Report

In the absence of comptroller Michelle Quinn, Dr.

Herman presented the financial report. Stating that "things are evening out, and all budget figures appear on target," Herman gave March spending figures for educational and general function categories reflecting 70.5% of the committed superhighway makes over 800 sources of information available through a variety of search engines and web pages. Users must sign an Internet Access Policy, designed to reinforce personal responsibility in using the system properly and help the library maintain security by keeping track of usage. Shimrock said that "the library is working to teach students in checking their sources on the Internet, as the quality of information available on the web can vary from source to source."

Shimrock concluded the tour by stating that "one of the next major goals of the library is to expand the book collection. Computers are important, but books still have to take precedence in a library setting."

Contributions Award
During the meeting of the board of trustees it was announced that Don Stork, GCC's director of information services, has been named the 1997 recipient of the award for Outstanding Contributions to GCC.

The award will be officially presented to Stork during GCC's May 17 commencement exercises.

Academic Report
Dr. Lillian Mitchell, dean of academic affairs, shared the annual schedule for next year's classes. Students are encouraged to see their faculty advisors and complete class registration before the current semester ends in order to avoid a rush at the close of registration.

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Mitchell also stated that classes have been added to the summer schedule to meet the needs of former Bausch and Lomb employees retraining for new employment. The additions budget, close to the even spending figure of 75%.

Projections of the operating cash flow for the remainder of FY 97 shows that no borrowing will be necessary for the rest of the fiscal year. The FY 97 ending cash funds are projected to be \$121,464. "We're in very good shape for the rest of the year," commented Herman.

Other Business

Dr. Mitchell presented the list of 1997 candidates for graduation for the trustees approval, pending the successful completion of the spring semester. Seventy-one students are currently scheduled to graduate on May 17, according to Mitchell, with 38 A.A. Transfer Program degrees and 33 A.A.S. Career Advancement degrees being awarded. This represents the highest number of Career Advancement degrees ever awarded by GCC, in fields as diverse as Adventure-sports, Agricultural Management, Business Manage-

ment, Natural Resources and Wildlife Technology, and Office Technology.

The next board of trustees meeting is set for Tuesday, May 20.

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Studies on the protective effect of low doses of aspirin against blood clots have been conducted almost exclusively in men. Recently researchers questioned if the same protective effect would be available to women as well. They evaluated over 2,400 women with ischemic heart disease (narrowed blood vessels going to the heart). Almost half of the women were taking aspirin. The results are not conclusive, but are encouraging. During an average follow-up of 3 years, women with heart disease who took aspirin had a heart-related death rate of 2.7%. Women not taking aspirin experienced a heart-related death rate of over 5%.

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Monday, May 5

ORTHOPEDIC CLINIC - A

Dr. Tuel (s)

Tuesday, May 6

BLACK LUNG CLINIC - B

Dr. Conley (a.m.)

NEUROLOGY CLINIC - A

Dr. Hoffman

PODIATRY CLINIC - A

Dr. G. Miller

Wednesday, May 7

ENT CLINIC - A

Dr. Daristotle

OPTOMETRY CLINIC - B

Dr. Looper / Dr. Sharps

Thursday, May 8

CARDIOLOGY CLINIC - A

Dr. Anderson

NEUROLOGY CLINIC - A

Dr. Hoffman

PULMONARY CLINIC - A

Dr. Rameer

OPHTHALMOLOGY CLINIC - B

Dr. Viti

Monday, May 12

ORTHOPEDIC CLINIC - A

Dr. Tuel (l)

Tuesday, May 13

NEUROLOGY CLINIC - A

Dr. Hoffman

Wednesday, May 14

DERMATOLOGY CLINIC - A

Dr. Saoud

ENT CLINIC - A

Dr. Hall

OPTOMETRY CLINIC - B

Dr. Looper / Dr. Sharps

Thursday, May 15

CARDIOLOGY CLINIC - A

Dr. Lyons

NEUROLOGY CLINIC - A

Dr. Hoffman

OPHTHALMOLOGY CLINIC - B

Dr. Viti

Friday, May 16

UROLOGY CLINIC - A

Dr. Taubenslag

Monday, May 19

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Dr. Tuel (l)

Tuesday, May 20

NEUROLOGY CLINIC - A

Dr. Hoffman

Wednesday, May 21

ENT CLINIC - A

Dr. Daristotle

OPTOMETRY CLINIC - B

Dr. Looper / Dr. Sharps

Thursday, May 22

CARDIOLOGY CLINIC - A

Dr. Wurtzbacher

NEUROLOGY CLINIC - A

Dr. Hoffman

OPHTHALMOLOGY CLINIC - B

Dr. Viti

PULMONARY CLINIC - A

Dr. Abrahams

Tuesday, May 27

BLACK LUNG CLINIC - B

Dr. Reynolds (p.m.)

DERMATOLOGY CLINIC - A

Dr. Saoud

NEUROLOGY CLINIC - A

Dr. Hoffman

PODIATRY CLINIC - A

Dr. G. Miller

Wednesday, May 28

ENT CLINIC - A

Dr. Hall

OPTOMETRY CLINIC - B

Dr. Looper / Dr. Sharps

Thursday, May 29

CARDIOLOGY CLINIC - A

Dr. Fallinger

NEUROLOGY CLINIC - A

Dr. Hoffman

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Dr. Viti

Friday, May 30

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Corwell To Play In SHS Band's Spring Concert

Dr. Neal Corwell will appear as euphonium soloist with the Southern Garrett Band's spring concert, slated for Thursday, May 8, beginning at 8 p.m. in the cafeteria. He will perform James Curnow's *Rhapsody for Euphonium and Band* and *The Carnival of Venice* by Jean-Baptiste Arban. For the second piece, Corwell will perform on the trombone, double-belled euphonium, and alto horn.

The band is under the direction of Richard D. Clever. Corwell's appearance is being sponsored by the band as well as by DEG Music Products, the United States distributors of Willson euphoniums.

After having spent nine years with the United States Army Band Pershing's Own in Washington, D.C., as one of the band's featured soloists, and seven years as an adjunct faculty member at two colleges (Frostburg State University and Shepherd College) teaching low brass and electronic music, Corwell is currently a freelance composer and euphonium soloist/clinician with a doctorate in euphonium performance and pedagogy.

Corwell, a resident of Clear Spring, is a member of Symphonia, a professional tuba-euphonium ensemble chosen from the nation's finest low brass performers. He has toured Japan and most of the United States as a guest artist, and he will be featured as both a soloist and composer at several international music conferences this summer, including an appearance in Riva del Garda, Italy.

In addition to the many live premieres and performances of Dr. Corwell's work worldwide, some of his compositions have been included on recent compact disc recordings released by Mark Records, Crystal Records, RJR Digital, TRYFAN, and Nicolai Music. He has composed and performed all the music for his solo euphonium/trombone CD, *Distant Images*.

Corwell will return to Garrett County this summer to appear for the fourth consecutive year as a featured soloist and composer with the Symphony at Deep Creek. At the fourth and final concert (August 23) of the Garrett Lakes Arts Festival Series, he will present the world premiere of *Black River*, his work for



PREPARING FOR THE SHS BAND SPRING CONCERT - The Southern Garrett Band's annual spring concert, slated for Thursday, May 8, at 8 p.m., will feature guest soloist Dr. Neal Corwell, euphonium virtuoso. Corwell practiced with the band, under the direction of Richard D. Clever, last week. The pieces that the guest will perform are James Curnow's *Rhapsody for Euphonium and Band* and *The Carnival of Venice* by Jean-Baptiste Arban. For the latter work, Dr. Corwell will perform on the trombone, double-belled euphonium, and alto horn, in addition to the euphonium. His solo appearance is sponsored by both the Southern Garrett Band and DEG Music Products, the United States distributors of Willson euphoniums. See story.

solo euphonium with chamber ensemble of winds, strings, and percussion.

The band concert at Southern will feature a variety of selections and will be followed by a performance of the Garrett Girls, the award-winning indoor guard, at about 9 p.m. in the school gymnasium.

Awards Noted In High School Art Exhibition

Winners have been announced for the 10th Annual Juried High School Exhibition held recently in the Bausch and Lomb Art Gallery of Garrett Community College, according to Ron Skidmore, gallery director. A total of 54 art works by students of the following teachers were entered: Linda Reeves-Cook and Sonia Pratt of Southern High School; Teresa Roberts of

Northern High School; Larry Mattingly and Porter Stiles of Preston County High School; and Mack Beal of Turkeyfoot Valley Area High School.

Jurors were Jeannie Kuhn and Randy B. Williams, freelance artists from the Morgantown area, whose recent sculptural work was commissioned by the Garrett County Arts Council and installed at Swallow Falls State Park.

The following awards were presented on April 26: the Best of Show award to Eliza Coviello, Southern, for a mixed media sculpture; first place to Candace Wellbaum, painting, Northern; Anne Everly, drawing, Preston; Nicole Spahr, sculpture, Preston; Cheryl Molisee, prints, Preston; Jody Roe and Jennifer Prince, mixed media, Turkeyfoot.

Second place was awarded to Nick Rohrbaugh, painting, Southern; Josh Liller, drawing, Southern; Kim Bittinger, sculpture, Northern; Kelly Kowalkowski, prints, Preston; and Randy Mitchell, mixed media, Turkeyfoot.

Third place awards went to Brandy Uphold, painting, Turkeyfoot; Larry Barkley, drawing, Turkeyfoot; Erin Shaffer, sculpture, Southern; Haddi Perando, prints, Southern; and Jody Roe, mixed media, Turkeyfoot.

Honorable mention went to students in each of the following categories: painting, Samantha Hilton, Preston, and Joy Sisler, Southern; drawing, Candace Wellbaum, Northern, and Keith Pender, Northern; sculpture, Doug Mayle, Northern, and Jody Bowser, Southern; prints, Abby Bruch, Northern; mixed media, Jennifer Vogel, Judson Gosnell, and Crystal Cameron, all of Turkeyfoot.

Senior Center

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give a lecture called "Bicycling through History" courtesy of the Maryland Council on the Humanities. Tuesday, May 20, at 11 a.m., Bill Heise, SALT (Seniors and Law Enforcement Together) chairman, and other organization members will address telephone and mail fraud. He will also discuss use of the refrigerator magnets provided by SALT to identify medications for emergency personnel.

Bingo is scheduled every Tuesday and Thursday following the Senior Nutrition Program lunch. An old-fashioned radio show will air on Friday, May 16. A card tournament will be held at 10:30 a.m. on Monday, May 19, and will become a monthly event. On Memorial Day, a victory garden will be planted by Garrett County Health Department AmeriCorps members. There will also be monthly dances starting with a Big Band dance on Saturday, May 17, Armed Forces Day, and continuing with a "Senior" prom on Saturday, June 7. Monthly field trips via motor coach are also in the making, as the center promises to provide recreational activities such as a shopping spree to Morgantown Mall on Tuesday, May 13, and a dinner theater outing to Jenters-town's Mountain Playhouse-Green Gables Restaurant to see *Forever Plaid* on Wednesday, June 11. The Frick N' Pirates trip on July 13 will give the participants a choice of either attending a Pirates baseball game or the Frick Museum in Pittsburgh, Pa.

Of special note in May is a Health and Fitness Festival to be held in the center on Friday, May 30, sponsored by AAA in partnership with Garrett County Health Department Community Outreach and assisted by Garrett County AmeriCorps members.

"All in all there is a great deal of fun, physical activity, recreation, games, mental stimulation, and socialization to be had during Older Americans Month and beyond at the new Grantsville Senior Center at the end of Pennsylvania Avenue in Grantsville," Hornyak said.

For further or more specific information, persons may contact Agnes Carey, site manager or AmeriCorps member Chas Rittenhouse, activities and recreation specialist, at 301-895-5818.

A Senior Nutrition Program lunch is served at noon on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday. Meal reservations are required and can be obtained by calling 301-895-5818 prior to 9 a.m. on those days.

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We're Worried...

The recent announcement by Garrett County School Superintendent Dr. Jerome Rysavage that he would be retiring this year was a blow to many residents of Garrett County, not only because most of us believe we will be losing an incredibly competent leader and educator, but also because many of us are extremely worried about who will be hired by the elected board members. The track record and basic philosophy of this board, or at least the majority of its membership, concern us greatly, especially when it comes to hiring a person who will have the power to make or break our award-winning education system.

We offer the following recollections about this board, which is elected to serve the general public. In most examples, we do not include member Jim Raley, who was just elected to the board last November.

This is the board that attacked Northern High School and its principal for holding a Wellness Day that included a massage therapy station and, just for fun, a horoscope station.

At least one member of this board proclaimed the Internet as an evil thing because of the smutty material that can be accessed, and he also did not believe that teachers would properly monitor the situation, which underscored his general distrust of our teachers.

One member of this board took it upon himself to send a letter to one of Garrett County's most outstanding students, who had earned a scholarship to Yale, urging him to "re-think" his decision about going to this particular "humanistic" university that supports "feminist ideals."

At least one board member has essentially referred to Frostburg State University and West Virginia University as dens of iniquity.

This is the board that is so uncomfortable with the teaching of multiculturalism in our schools, and against any changes in the teaching of historical events.

This is the board that is so paranoid about our children being "exposed" to the values of individual teachers, and yet the very advertisement calling for superintendent applicants says they want someone "who will provide strong leadership in conjunction with community values..." Now is that hypocrisy or what? And what exactly are "community" values?

This is the board that was so resistant to approving an expanded AIDS education program in our schools, despite the fact that the young people of this nation continue to die in huge numbers because of this disease.

This is the board that just this week announced it has hired a local consultant who, interestingly, was a candidate for the board of education last year, was not accepted for that job by a two-to-one margin by Garrett County voters, but is now handed a position of perhaps even greater power than any of the board members in this process of hiring a new superintendent.

The deadline for applicants is this Saturday, May 3. As of Tuesday, there had been only 12 submitted. The board will open its May 13 meeting for public comment specifically to give input on what qualities they should look for in hiring a new superintendent (after the deadline for applications). It's vital that a large crowd of persons avail themselves of this opportunity. Will this board really listen, or will it simply go through the motions and hire someone with no regard to public opinion? We don't know; but we must at least make ourselves heard.

Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

I have been coming up to Garrett County with a theatre company to perform for the children of this county for the past 14 years. During that time I have seen them grow up, have seen them look forward to our shows that they applaud as soon as we step on the stage. I know that they appreciate our performances, and they seek us out in the local restaurants to ask for autographs. I also know that we are not the only artistic company that over the years has been invited to work here in this county. Poets, musicians, actors, visual artists, all have traveled up the road to this beautiful county to

work with the young people here. You are extremely fortunate to have very strong advocates for the Arts in the administration of the Board of Education. That is why I was so saddened to hear of the firestorm created by the suggestion by Dr. Brenda McCartney for the inclusion of general music for middle school students.

You are so lucky to have such a dedicated teaching staff and deeply committed administration who have your children's best interests at heart. Every principal and teacher that I encounter gives Dr. McCartney enormous credit for not only bringing professional artists here to work with the



students, but also for instilling an "arts friendly" environment in the school system.

Brenda McCartney, having been a classroom teacher, still looks for the development of each individual student, the gifted as well as those who hover at the edges of achievement. This is why incorporating general music is so important; because every student at the middle school level deserves to be exposed to music, not just the talented few who belong to an organized band or orchestra. Everyone should know about music, art, theatre, math, English, social studies, science, physical education, history, geography... the knowledge and enjoyment of all these subjects creates a well-rounded person, an adult who is cultured. Don't we want that for all our children?

Please find it in your heart to support this recommendation. Dr. Brenda McCartney is a tremendous asset to the school system. Her suggestion deserves to be treated with consideration and respect. Especially those of you who are parents of students at the middle schools who might benefit from this recommendation, make your feelings known. Being in the "silent majority" will not help your boys and girls receive music. And as we all know, a society is judged by its culture. Opt for more culture, not less.

Sincerely,
Nancy Krebs

To the Editor:
I feel compelled to write this letter in response to Mark Proulx's letter in last week's *Republican*.

I find it sad that jealousy has brought things to the point at which they are. It not only tears up a family, but brings turmoil to the county. And all just so things can get stirred up again and people will be talking about all the wrongdoing, when there has been no wrongdoing.

It is not for you to go around bashing Sheriff Randy Sines or announcing how much was spent where. It is in the hands of the State Prosecutor's office now and I'm quite sure they will find no known wrongdoing on Randy's part.

Regardless of what you try to do, Randy will always have his family, his friends,

and his loyal supporters behind him, and that will never change, because we know Randy and we all know what a good job he does for the county. People can't leave him alone to continue to do the good job he has been doing all along, without interruptions, due to unnecessary controversy. I guess that's the way it is when you're a public figure; there's always someone out there who has nothing better to do than to try to get you and drag you down to their level, who are only happy when his life is in turmoil, and you know who I'm talking about.

Do you enjoy people wrongfully talking about and accusing others? I actually feel sorry for someone who takes pride in being called an instigator because look where it's gotten you.

Randy was elected Sheriff of Garrett County, and I am proud to say that he's my brother. I hope one day everyone's eyes will get opened up to the unjust deceit that certain people are trying to bring down on Randy.

Keep up the good work, Randy. Things will work out in the end.

Anita Coddington

To the Editor:
As a longtime resident and taxpayer of Garrett County, I am deeply saddened and appalled at the recent credit card purchases allegedly made by Sheriff Randy Sines.

Except for some politicians, I'm certain everyone, locally, is aware that residents of Garrett County are struggling through a depressed economic period. Recently hundreds of good, honest, hard-working people lost their jobs at Bausch and Lomb and other local businesses. These individuals, some of them my neighbors, are left frustrated and worried about how they are going to pay their bills, buy clothes for their children, and basically how they will support themselves and their families in the future.

On the other hand, we have an elected official, which if the allegations are true, has an annual salary of \$50,000 per year, has the use of a county vehicle, and who apparently deems it appropriate to use taxpayers' money for items purchased at Geoffrey Beene, Hard Rock Cafe,

espied a popsicle stick on the floor. In another second we were free.

My family did not keep chickens long after that. Those were the days when the government and big business were telling us it was cheaper to buy eggs (and the rest of our food) than to raise it. Thus the face of mainstream agriculture was changed fundamentally in a way that it had not been for centuries—no longer was the first purpose of the farm to feed the family that lived upon it.

When we no longer had hens my mother took me to the farmhouse of a not-too-near neighbor's—some of the few that had not believed the latest propaganda, but then they were old—to buy eggs. In one of life's little ironies, my own grandmother now lives in that house, and I sometimes take eggs there to her.

I got my first chickens more than a dozen years ago now, acting on the belief that I ought to live off the land to the extent reasonably possible. From my investigations chickens seemed the easiest and cheapest livestock to keep.

A friend gave me a broody hen, who laid her eggs, hatched her chicks, and reared her brood. As cheap and as reasonably easy as it all was, there were also some traumas, in particular, when the same friend gave me the balance of his small laying flock, and I had to find a way of integrating the chickens.

Before getting day-old chicks last week I had gotten two batches of chickens since that first experience. On both occasions they came here ready to lay.

More and more of our neighbors keep a few hens, though not the real farmers—by which I mean the poor guys being run into the ground because they are still listening to the government and the big companies (all much bigger now than they were 30 years ago).

Some of the folks keeping hens today are like me: from a farming background but making most of their living off the farm. Others are newcomers who are trying to learn what real farmers have forgotten, namely, that the first job of a farm is to support the family that lives on it.

and Sea World of Texas. I can't and won't speak for other Garrett Counties, but in my opinion, if this is not illegal, it certainly is unconscionable.

Any elected official has an obligation to make certain that his actions while in office benefit his constituents and promote an atmosphere of trust between the official and the voters. This is certainly true when the elected official is the chief law enforcement officer of the county.

I would like for the sheriff to explain, to the public, how the aforementioned purchases, which allegedly utilized public funds, benefited the people of Garrett County. I really find it difficult to believe that county business was conducted at any of the establishments and especially, Sea World, unless of course to the surprise of everyone, Shamu has suddenly taken up residence in Deep Creek Lake.

As I read the letter to the editor written by Sheriff Sines and published in the April 24 edition of *The Republican*, several statements were made that lead to additional questions, which could possibly lead to the truth in this matter.

First of all, when initially questioned about the state prosecutor's inquiries, Sheriff Sines stated something to the effect that he did not know what it was all about. Now in his letter of 4-24-97, he states that a question concerning the charges was raised early in 1996 and that the matter was turned over to the State Attorney James Sherbin. O.K. Sheriff, which is it; were you aware of the concerns involving the credit card or not? You can't have it both ways!

Secondly, Mr. Sheriff, in your letter you stated that an inquiry was made into the present allegations in 1996 by Mr. Sherbin and the state prosecutor and that no criminal conduct or other violations of public trust were found to have been committed by you, or so you were told. Before we proceed further, would you be so kind to tell us exactly who told you this, so that they can be questioned directly? And doesn't it seem strange to you that the state prosecutor would investigate in 1997 a matter that he had, according to you, investigated only one year earlier? Since in your letter you involved these two individuals, would you request or have any objections if a member of the public requests and receives a statement from each of these individuals, stating the exact circumstances surrounding the inquiry and what their conclusions and/or suggestions to you were at that time?

Thirdly, in your letter, you stated that every expenditure made using the credit card was either directly related to the performance of your official duties and/or a part of your annual compensation. I believe it would be reasonable to assume that expenditures made at the Hard Rock Cafe and Sea World would not have been part of your official duties, so according to you it must have been part of your annual compensation.

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Community Calendar

MEETINGS
Take Off Pounds Sensibly (TOPS) #379 meets every Monday evening at the Loch Lynn Restaurant. Weigh-in is between 6-6:30 p.m. New members are welcome.



Q: What's the highest level of authority a woman can achieve in the Catholic church?

A: Nun.

by John R. McEwen

There's a show at Garrett Community College this week that's going to have the whole congregation of St. Peter's talking. Heck, several of them are in it. It's called *Nunsense* by Dan Goggin, and it's being produced by Garrett Lakes Arts Festival and co-directed by Sue Harkins and Nancy Learey, with costumes provided by Terri Haglund and set design by Ben Sincell and his GCC students.

Nunsense is an irreverent excursion through the convent that gives us insight into the hearts and minds of those very pious members of our society, and lets us discover that under all that black and white, they're just as colorful as any of us. Or maybe more so.

It seems the nuns in this story have gotten themselves into a bit of a sticky situation regarding some bad soup, and we soon find that that is just the tip of the iceberg. This cloistered chorus needs money, fast, so they decide to put on a show. But with names like Sister Myopia, Sister Margaret Ataxia, and Sister Mary Frenetic, one can foresee the personality clashes inherent in the system.

My hat is off to directors Learey and Harkins (who also has a major role in the show) for keeping all these penguins in line. With a show about a bunch of hams putting on a show, nuns or not, the line between character and actor begins to blur. That is to say, maybe it's Sister Robert Anne saying she wants to be a star, or maybe it's just plain Sue Harkins.

Special note should first go to Linda Goodrich, whose portrayal of Sister Mary Amnesia is full of energy and spontaneity, even though she is playing a character who does not know who she is, exactly. Goodrich has an excellent sense of comedic timing and delivery, and her interactions with the "audience members" are either brilliantly rehearsed or brilliantly ad-libbed. Either way, her ease on the stage is refreshing. Her puppetry could use some work, though.

Harkins's Robert Anne is a street-wise sister whose bawdy sense of humor is as appalling to her Mother Superior as her Brooklyn accent. She's full of tasteless, tactless nun humor, which makes all the other nuns snigger secretly, so as not to offend the reverend mother. Luckily, we in the audience can just laugh out loud. All Robert Anne wants is a little taste of the limelight, but it's surprising the lengths to which she'll go to get it. Harkins's delivery is honest and forthright; she's one of the most believable people in the show.

The stuffy reverend mother (Sister Mary Regina) is played by Kaylen Carlson, with a delightful preference for her own bad jokes over anyone else's. She is by no means the epitome of clear-headedness (after all, it was she who got them in this fix), yet she exudes confidence in her judgment and looks down her nose at all the others, albeit benevolently. But Carlson's best moment is when Sr. Mary accidentally gets a little dose of... er, medicine. Her transformation from haughtily checking the stuff out to sprawling, giggling, on the floor, is priceless.

Second in command at the convent is Sister Mary Hubert, played by Sheila Edwards. She is actually in charge of the novices, but she aspires to be Mother Superior someday. Hubert is sincere and inspiring in her level-headed manner. Edwards is equally sincere in her performance of one who inspires others to succeed by humility.

Sister Mary Leo is the most recent addition to the convent, a young girl who really just wants to dance. She is played with childlike longing by Denise Connelly, singing just a little sharp in her chest voice but right on in her head voice. If this was done intentionally, it's perfect, so we'll say it was.

Also appearing are Jill Holler, Jean Coviello, Dana Braskey, and Julia Geisler, who is obviously the most proficient dancer of the group. These four ladies help hold the nunnery together with angelic choruses and snappy dance numbers.

None of the singing in this piece is spectacular. The music is very difficult, full of quick-paced lyrics that leave the actors out of breath and the audience saying, "What?" But the words really are quite clever, so they're worth a listen. Perhaps the ladies can take the day off Friday and practice. All day.

The choice to perform this show on the set of *Grease* is somewhat confusing to me, whether it was made by the author or the directors. But Sincell's set is clever in its incongruousness, and it does add a little extra humor to see nuns belling up to the bar at a '50s style soda shop. Haglund's costumes are, well, ... all the same. But rightly so, and they certainly seem authentic.

This show is quite funny, but does contain adult themes. If you're not Catholic, you'll probably love it. If you are, you'll probably love it more. And to those in the cast, you make great nuns, but don't get in the habit.

TOPS will meet every Monday at Mountain Glade Adult Day Care Center, Pythian Ave., Oakland. Weigh-in is 6-6:30 p.m. The meetings will be held from 6:30-7:30 p.m. Everyone is welcome.

Alcoholics Anonymous meets every Sunday, Monday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday at 8 p.m. and Wednesday at noon, at 125 Liberty St., Oakland; and Thursday at 12:30 p.m. at Garrett County Lighthouse, Inc., 20 East Oak St. (Rt. 39), Oakland. The McHenry Chapter of Alcoholics Anonymous meets every Tuesday at 8 p.m. at the McHenry United Methodist Church along Bumble Bee Road.

Al-Anon groups meet Monday at 8 p.m., at 125 Liberty St., Oakland; Wednesday at 8 p.m., at Emmanuel Lutheran Church in Bittering; and Friday at 8 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church in Frostburg. Al-Ateen also meets at the First Presbyterian Church at the same time.

The Arthritis Support Group will meet the first Tuesday of every month at 6:30 p.m. in the Garrett County Memorial Hospital board room. For additional information, persons may contact Charlotte Garner at 334-2155, ext. 492.

On occasion, a site may opt to make a substitution in the menu. Senior citizens who wish to eat at one of the "Eating Together" sites are asked to call the individual site to check the menu for the day and to make reservations. Telephone numbers of individual sites are as follows: Flowery Vale Senior Center, Accident, 746-8824; Finzel Fire Hall, Finzel, 689-8388; Twila's Old Mill Restaurant, Friendsville, 746-5414; Old Mill Restaurant, Gorman, 334-2848; Starnier Hill Apts., Grantsville, 895-5092; Jennings Community Building, Jennings, 245-4204 or 895-5498; Kitzmiller Community Building, Kitzmiller, 453-3445; Mary Browning Senior Center, Oakland, 334-9431, ext. 131; and Swanton Community Building, Swanton, 387-9191.

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The Garrett County Amateur Radio Emergency Service (GCARES) meets the first Friday of each month in the Community Services Building next to Garrett Memorial Hospital.

Support for Bereaved Persons is being provided at St. Paul's United Methodist Church on the first Monday of every month, 7:30-9 p.m. A lecture on grief will be provided by Michael Dennis, LCSW-C. For more information, persons may call Bev Greaser at 334-1493.

The annual membership meeting of the **Cranesville Cemetery Association** will be at the Aldersgate Evangelical Center, Cranesville, Monday, May 5 at 7 p.m. All members and interested persons are urged to attend.

MISCELLANEOUS
The Southern High School class of 1987 is planning a 10-year reunion. Classmates who have ideas to share, or those with updated information are asked to call 334-9328 or 334-4364.

Mt. Grove, W.Va., Volunteer Fire Department will host an all-you-can-eat ramp dinner on Sunday, May 4, from 11 a.m.-4 p.m. Ramps will be served raw, stewed, and in a wild salad. The menu also includes ham, cornbread, beans, fried potatoes, dessert, and drinks. Carry-out is available. Cost is \$5 for adults and \$3.50 for children ages 6-11. The Mt. Grove VFD is located on Route 219 two miles south of Silver Lake. For more information call 304-735-6104 or 304-735-6801.

CHURCH ACTIVITIES
St. John's Lutheran Church on Cove Road will host "Captive Free," a youth-oriented contemporary Christian music group, on Sunday, May 4 at 7 p.m. The family night of performing arts ministry will include music, drama, and puppetry. The public is invited to attend and a free-will offering will be taken. For further information, call 301-746-8081.

Senior Citizens' Menus
"Eating Together" sites are now operating two days per week. The menu for the week of May 5-9 is as follows:
Day 1 - Cole slaw, ham loaf w/raisin sauce, sweet potatoes & apples, baby lima, corn bread, ice cream, milk.
Day 2 - Cottage cheese w/peaches, porcupine meat balls, whipped potatoes, peas, white bread, fruit crisp, milk.

Coffee or tea served with all meals.

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View From My Window

by Jeffrey Wilson

A PERSONAL HEN HISTORY

There are new inhabitants at our house. Twenty-two chicks—we lost three—are eating, drinking, and sleeping in our cellar under a heat lamp. They are Barred Plymouth Rocks, furry balls of black with splotches of yellow on their heads. They dart about their little chickenland encircled by a wall of corrugated cardboard.

My fondness for chickens does not arise from having locked myself into the henhouse as a boy. My cousin Lucy was visiting us on the farm. I was probably no older than five, and she was four years older.

We collected eggs from the henhouse, and having taken them to my mother, we returned to the henhouse to collect some more. The nests were empty, of course, so we sat on the step outside the henhouse, and waited for the hens to do their thing.

The waiting seemed a very long time, which—allowing for a child's attention span—was probably no longer than five minutes. We entered the henhouse again, and found the nests were still empty. Our exit, however, was prevented by the door having closed and latched behind us. We were locked in the henhouse.

Suddenly the chickens seemed the most perilous of creatures. What might they do to us? What if no one found us? My parents would never think to look for us in the henhouse. What if we starved to death? I began to cry.

Lucy tried to comfort me, and—more importantly—tried to devise a way of getting us out of there. The latch was of the old drawing variety without the drawing so it could be opened from the outside only. There was, however, a hole designed for the drawing through which something might be pushed to wedge up the latch. Lucy

Bloodmobile To Be At Laurel Run On Friday

The Garrett County American Red Cross will be hosting a bloodmobile at the Laurel Run Church of God in Friendsville this Friday, May 2, from noon until 6 p.m. "The change of location was necessary because of construction at the fire hall, our usual stop," stated Elizabeth Huxford, blood services chairman. "We hope all of our donors will make the extra effort to join us at this temporary location as the need for blood never stops."

The American Red Cross, Johnstown Region which includes Garrett County, needs to collect at least 700 units of blood per day to maintain adequate supplies for the hospitals it serves. The Red Cross hopes to see at least 40 donors on Friday.

Anyone age 17 or older who weighs at least 110 pounds and is in generally good health may donate blood. Any person with a question on donor eligibility may call the Johnstown Region at 1-800-54BLOOD.

Letters

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sation. This should be fairly simple to prove or disprove. I have taken the liberty of contacting a representative from the Internal Revenue Service and he advised that any monies received as annual compensation must be reported as income to the IRS. Therefore, Mr. Sheriff, if you did believe, as you stated, that the monies from the credit card were part of your annual compensation, then I'm sure as an American citizen you included this extra amount on your income tax return to the IRS.

Would you, Mr. Sheriff, allow an impartial party, such as the State Prosecutor's Office, State Attorney's Office, or maybe even the *Cumberland Times*, to

obtain a copy of your 1995 Federal Income Tax Return, from the IRS, and notify the public whether or not the monies expended on the county credit card were included on your tax return? If indeed the additional monies were included, then this entire set of events may have just been bad judgment on your part. If not, then, Mr. Sheriff, there may be further problems forthcoming.

In closing, I respectfully request that the sheriff respond favorably to the requests outlined in this letter and further to make his decisions or answers known to the public, since it is public funds which are in question. In my opinion the money in question can be repaid, although it hasn't been in almost two years. More importantly, however, the trust given to you, Mr. Sheriff, by the Garrett County voters, has been severely strained and maybe even destroyed, and no amount of money can ever bring it back.

Sincerely,
Dale Harvey

To the Editor:

I was saddened by both your news article about Mr. Fousek and the letter to the editor from Mr. Watson. It is a shame that so many people are angry and bitter about almost anything having to do with government and politics in this country. I wish they could use their energies in a more positive way. We need constructive criticism as well as careful discernment to see what we can all do to help our elect officials save this country for all of us. We need to participate in preserving our democracy by voting and then accepting the will of the majority as best we can. The politics of destruction by enemy camps is not the democratic way. The mess in Washington with groups determined to destroy President Clinton and Speaker Gingrich is a disservice to us all. These two capable, intelligent, and energetic young men should be encouraged to and allowed to work together for the good of the nation.

I hope the Garrett County commissioners will take *The Republican's* advice and tighten up the fiscal situation in county government. I hope residents will again one day be happy to take on the responsibility of paying taxes for services rendered. And, I hope those who regularly pay their workers under the table will stop this practice and stop seeing dishonesty only in others.

I'm glad the Fousek situation is over at least for us, and hope something good can come from it for all concerned. I must note the sharp contrast between the courage of Commissioner Braskey for standing by a friend and the cowardice of the letter writer, who could not let the legal system take its course.

Sincerely,
Cynthia Knight

To the Editor:

The family of David Livengood would like to thank the community and all those who wrote letters to the Maryland Parole Board in keeping Richard Tichnell in the prison system.

The Parole Board received over 200 letters and I feel that the community had a large part in the hearing board's decision on this matter.

Again, thanks for a job well done.

Edward L. Livengood and family

Building Permits

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must fill out a permit worksheet, provide copies of plans and specifications, and obtain approvals from other county and government agencies as required by the project location, such as the assessment office, sanitation district, the individual's municipal authority, the planning and zoning office, the health department, and stormwater management.

The information required on the permit worksheet will include items such as project locations, owner and contractor names and addresses, project square footage, and whether or not the project will be on public water and sewer or private septic and well. These data will enable the county government to assess county growth more accurately and to more accurately project the need for public facilities.

The actual time to process a permit, which involves the building official's review and comment on the plans, will depend on the complexity of a project and will vary from project to project. The goal of the office will be to process all applications as quickly and efficiently as possible, according to Sheldon Dearden, consultant to the county planning office.

In his or her review, the building official will try to ensure that the building is structurally sound, complies

with the code, has the required means of exit, has adequate light and ventilation, and the necessary sanitary facilities. One copy of the approved plans will have to be maintained at the project site once the permit has been issued, Dearden said.

When the project has been initiated, the owner or builder will be required to notify the OBPI each time an inspection is required. Currently, planners estimate that inspections will be required for footings, foundation/backfill, framing close-in, insulation, concrete slabs, walls, walks, and stoops; and a building final. When notified, the OBPI will send the inspector to make the required inspection and primarily to ensure that the construction is in accordance with the approved plans. The results of all inspections will be recorded daily by the OBPI.

Owners and builders should note that the building inspector will not be permitted to do a close-in or final inspection until the plumbing and electrical installations have satisfactorily passed the "rough-in" and/or final inspection.

When all inspections have been passed, the owner/builder may request a U&O permit. If there are no existing code violations and all required inspections are satisfactory, the U&O permit will be issued. This permit will specify the edition of the BOCA code under which the permit was issued, the use group and permitted occupancy, automatic sprinkler details, and any special stipulations and conditions of the U&O permit. A building or structure may not be occupied or used for its intended purpose until this permit has been issued, Dearden said.

Submit Opinions

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that the health department must remain conscious of the competitive nature of the health care business and that it is "imperative to more effectively manage the financial operations of the health department." Archer has maintained that because of the fluctuating payment schedules and changes in Medicare, Medicaid, and managed care agencies, the health department cannot accurately project the budget as most other agencies can. Therefore, the costs and payments are often unbalanced and have essentially led to the \$500,000 deficit experienced by the department this fiscal year. His assessment of the problem is generally accepted by the state and local officials.

As to the recovery plan, which remains unpublished, the commissioners stated the following:

"The majority of the Board of Garrett County Commissioners has agreed to appropriate \$310,000 to the health department for fiscal year 1998, an increase of \$30,000 over 1997. This increase . . . is to be directed solely for the operation of the Environmental

Health Division. The board also approved an increase in the environmental health fee schedule that will provide additional revenue."

Apparently, Archer's recommendation suggested the elimination of two sanitation III positions, worth about \$81,637. The commissioners suggested that instead of laying off these individuals, the health officer should consider that the added \$30,000 plus the income of the new fee schedule would equal about \$70,000, which would "offset a substantial portion of the expense of these positions." They felt that this personnel reduction would cause ongoing difficulties in efficiently operating the environmental health division.

The commissioners also voiced their concern for the individuals who would be "separated from their employment." They referred to the staff as a "team of committed employees [that the health department] is fortunate to employ . . ."

As for the problem now facing the health department, Giotfely stated that the reactionary time was not good.

"I do think the problem was not reacted to soon enough," he said. "But I think it's in the best interest of the health department and the county to keep Dr. Archer on and give him a chance to make it work. We will be monitoring this situation very closely."

Asked if he perceived a personnel problem as described by Braskey, Archer said he agrees that there is a morale problem.

"But this is because of this situation," he stated, maintaining that the professional relationships at the health department are not as negative as asserted by Braskey.

At the press conference, however, the dissenting commissioner stated several times that he feels the health officer does not relate well to his staff.

"I've had lots of calls over the past several months about this," Braskey said, relating one instance in which Archer is alleged to have stated at a staff meeting that he was going to "cut out the dead branches and there's nothing you can do about it."

Archer said he is optimistic, however, that the recovery will be successful. "We are still larger than we were seven years ago, and our staff works hard to

serve the county," he said. "We're going to find a way to bounce back from this."

Man Confesses

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been recovered, police said that another ring is still missing. It is described as a lady's class ring with the name "Irene White" engraved on the band. The police ask anyone with information on this case to call Cpl. Steve Vincent at the McHenry barracks, (301) 387-1101 or (301) 895-1101.

Ridenour has been charged with burglary, malicious destruction of property, and felony theft. He is

being held in the Garrett County Jail on \$25,000 bond.

DWI ARRESTS

During the month of April the state police in McHenry made five arrests in which individuals were charged with driving while intoxicated.

Danny L. Rhodes, 35, Davis, W. Va., was arrested April 12; David W. Hinebaugh, 25, Oakland, was arrested April 13; Larry L. Sweitzer, 31, Kitzmiller, was arrested April 17; Daniel W. Tichnell, 20, Swanton, was arrested April 18; and Ronald E. Crosby 36, Deer Park, was arrested April 23.

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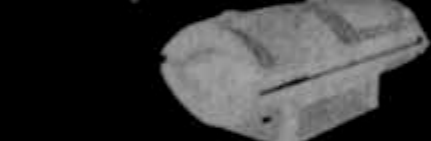
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Sunday School is at 10 a.m., and a worship service begins at 7 p.m. each Sunday, with Brother Anthony and Sister Diane Yoder, Accident, conducting services at Freedom Chapel.

COUNTRY WOMEN

Six members of Friendsville Country Women met Wednesday, April 23, at the home of Mrs. Ellen Humberson for lunch and a meeting. They will meet at Caselman Hotel, Grantsville, for lunch and a meeting on Wednesday, May 21, at 1 p.m.

PERSONALS

Glen D. and Doris Frazee were among the 15 family members present for a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Ringer, Clifton Mills, W.Va., on Sunday to honor the 16th birthday of their son, Richard Ringer, and graduation of another son, Ronald Ringer II, from West Virginia University, Morgantown. Richard and Ronald are grandsons of Glen D. Frazee.

Glen and Beth Sessions, St. George, Utah, were visiting Mrs. Patricia Pryor, here, on Sunday afternoon. They all visited with David Pryor at the Goodwill Home, Grantsville, that evening.

Mrs. Jean Selby left April 8 for Baltimore to visit Mr. and Mrs. Robert Selby and Ms. Betty Selby. On April 9, Jean, Robert and Betty Selby, and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Frazee went on a church bus tour to Lancaster, Pa., where they all had dinner and attended the "Glory of Spring" at Living Waters Theatre. On Thursday evening, Jean left by Amtrak for Charleston, S.C., where she was met by her sister Helen and husband Clinton Shaffer, and they motored to their home at Summerville, S.C., where Jean visited for a week with members of their family. They all toured plantations and took bus tours of Charleston.

On Friday, April 18, Robert and Bessie Selby and Ms. Betty Lou Selby, Baltimore, visited the Shafers and Jean. Jean accompanied them to Nashville, Tenn., where they had a tour of country stars' homes, attended the Grand Ole Opry, visited Opryland Hotel and Dollywood, toured the Smoky Mountains, and came home by way of Skyline Drive and Blue Ridge Mountains. They returned to Baltimore and Bob and Bessie accompanied Jean to her home here on April 26. Bobby and Bessie are visiting at their home in Selbyport.

Mrs. Eleanor Fearer and

Ms. Catharine Mitchell, Oakland, visited with relatives and friends here on Thursday.

Ms. Sherry Friend returned home after a week's visit with her daughter and son-in-law, Tonja and Bill Dixon, Mineral, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Ray Friend visited on Thursday with Clarence Fike at Preston Memorial Hospital, Kingwood, W.Va., and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Strawser, Reedsville, W.Va. Visitors of the Friends were Mrs. Cindy Frantz and Derrica, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Friend, Mr. and Mrs. William Burrow, all of the area, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Strawser, Reedsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Livengood, Bruceton, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cupp and Miss Janice Hileman. Ms. Jane Fox was a luncheon guest at the Cupp Home.

Joe and Ina Grace Lechman spent the weekend at Boyds with David and Ina Rae Merson. Ina Grace and Ina Rae attended the Mark Chestnutt show at the Patriot Center, Fairfax, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Friend, New Castle, Ind., were weekend visitors of Ms. Evelyn Friend and daughter Leota. Walter remained here for a week.

with his mother. Visitors were Lawrence and Carole Selby, Baltimore, who had spent the past week at their home at Good Hope. Fred Humberson, Janice Fisher, Ms. Betty Lou Selby and daughter, Mrs. Linda Hudnet, Baltimore, who are spending this week at their home at Good Hope. Miss Laura Beitzel, Springs, Pa., was a Saturday overnight guest at the Friend-Stover home.

Laura and Christa Uphold spent this weekend with their cousins Travis and Ashleigh Beal in Meyersdale for the Maple Festival.

ROTARY NEWS

Friendsville Rotary Club held its regular meeting Monday at Twila's Old Mill Restaurant. The Ruth Enlow Library of Garrett County.

LIBRARY NEWS

Emily Ferren, director of the Ruth Enlow Library of Garrett County, and the new Friendsville library manager, Michele Duda, presented a program on the new developments in the county, including how each

library will have its own computer and access to the Internet.

Friendsville library is in need of donations of money and books, especially new, young adult reading and fiction. Anyone interested in giving new books or

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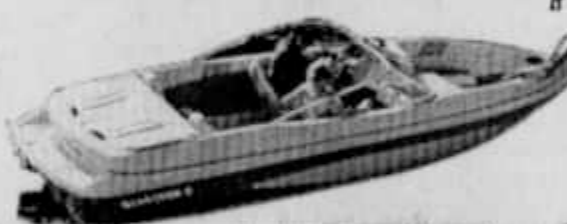
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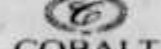
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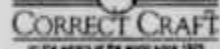


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REVIVAL AT FREEDOM CHAPEL

Revival services will be held at Freedom Chapel, Friendsville-Bear Creek Rd., on Thursday, May 1, through Sunday, May 4, each evening at 7 p.m. Brother Ross Glatfelter, Accident, will speak on Thursday and Sunday evenings, and Brother Ernie and Lou Ann Keller, near Cumberland, will be preaching and singing Friday and Saturday evenings. Call 301-746-8844.

Sunday School is at 10 a.m., and a worship service begins at 7 p.m. each Sunday, with Brother Anthony and Sister Diane Yoder, Accident, conducting services at Freedom Chapel.

COUNTRY WOMEN

Six members of Friendsville Country Women met Wednesday, April 23, at the home of Mrs. Ellen Humberson for lunch and a meeting. They will meet at Casselman Hotel, Grantsville, for lunch and a meeting on Wednesday, May 21, at 1 p.m.

PERSONALS

Glen D. and Doris Frazee were among the 15 family members present for a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Ringer, Clifton Mills, W.Va., on Sunday to honor the 16th birthday of their son, Richard Ringer, and graduation of another son, Ronald Ringer II, from West Virginia University, Morgantown. Richard and Ronald are grandsons of Glen D. Frazee.

Glen and Beth Sessions, St. George, Utah, were visiting Mrs. Patricia Pryor, here, on Sunday afternoon. They all visited with David Pryor at the Goodwill Home, Grantsville, that evening.

Mrs. Jean Selby left April 8 for Baltimore to visit Mr. and Mrs. Robert Selby and Mrs. Betty Selby. On April 9, Jean, Robert and Betty Selby, and Mr. and Mrs. Wade Frazee went on a church bus tour to Lancaster, Pa., where they all had dinner and attended the "Glory of Spring" at Living Waters Theatre. On Thursday evening, Jean left by Amtrak for Charleston, S.C., where she was met by her sister Helen and husband Clinton Shaffer, and they motored to their home at Summerville, S.C., where Jean visited for a week with members of their family. They all toured plantations and took bus tours of Charleston.

On Friday, April 18, Robert and Bessie Selby and Mrs. Betty Lou Selby, Baltimore, visited the Shafers and Jean. Jean accompanied them to Nashville, Tenn., where they had a tour of country stars' homes, attended the Grand Ole Opry, visited Opryland Hotel and Dollywood, toured the Smoky Mountains, and came home by way of Skyline Drive and Blue Ridge Mountains. They returned to Baltimore and Bob and Bessie accompanied Jean to her home here on April 26. Bobby and Bessie are visiting at their home in Selbysport. Mrs. Eleanor Fearer and

Ms. Catharine Mitchell, Oakland, visited with relatives and friends here on Thursday.

Ms. Sherry Friend returned home after a week's visit with her daughter and son-in-law, Tonja and Bill Dixon, Mineral, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Ray Friend visited on Thursday with Clarence Fike at Preston Memorial Hospital, Kingwood, W.Va., and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Strawser, Reedsville, W.Va. Visitors of the Friends were Mrs. Cindy Frantz and Derrica, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Friend, Mr. and Mrs. William Burrow, all of the area, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Strawser, Reedsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Livengood, Bruceton, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cupp and Miss Janice Hileman. Ms. Jane Fox was a luncheon guest at the Cupp Home.

Joe and Ina Grace Lechman spent the weekend at Boyds with David and Ina Rae Merson. Ina Grace and Ina Rae attended the Mark Chestnut show at the Patriot Center, Fairfax, Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Friend, New Castle, Ind., were weekend visitors of Ms. Evelyn Friend and daughter Leota. Walter remained here for a week.

with his mother. Visitors were Lawrence and Carole Selby, Baltimore, who had spent the past week at their home at Good Hope. Fred Humberson, Janice Fisher, Ms. Betty Lou Selby and daughter, Mrs. Linda Hudnet, Baltimore, who are spending this week at their home at Good Hope. Miss Laura Beitzel, Springs, Pa., was a Saturday overnight guest at the Friend-Stover home.

Laura and Christa Uphold spent this weekend with their cousins Travis and Ashleigh Beal in Meyersdale for the Maple Festival.

ROTARY NEWS

Friendsville Rotary Club held its regular meeting Monday at Twila's Old Mill Restaurant. The Ruth Enlow Library of Garrett County.

LIBRARY NEWS

Emily Ferren, director of the Ruth Enlow Library of Garrett County, and the new Friendsville library manager, Michele Duda, presented a program on the new developments in the county, including how each

library will have its own computer and access to the Internet.

Friendsville library is in need of donations of money and books, especially new, young adult reading and fiction. Anyone interested in giving new books or

much needed air conditioning to the Friendsville branch is asked to call Duda at 301-746-5663.

SCOUTING NEWS
Girl Scout Troop #5569 will be going swimming on Saturday, May 3, at Lake-wood Resort in McHenry.

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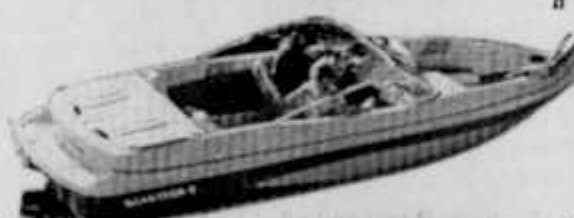
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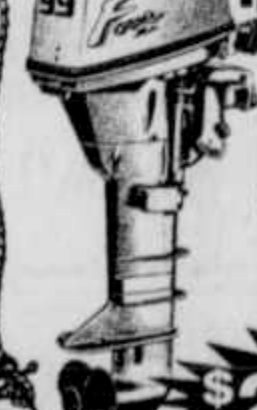
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FISHER, Dodd M. Jr., 55, Morgantown, W.Va.

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STEVENS, John L., 78, Accident.

STONE, Virgil H., 67, Oakland.

VIRGIL H. STONE

Virgil H. Stone, 67, Oakland, died Thursday, April 24, 1997, at his home.

He was born Oct. 11, 1929, in Preston County, W.Va., a son of the late Dewey and Bertha (Burke) Stone. He was also preceded in death by his wife, Regina C. (Sellers) Stone, in 1995.

He was a retired truck driver, having worked for Frank Arnold Construction, and was a U.S. Army veteran of the Korean Conflict.

Surviving are two sons, V. Allan Stone and Neil J. Stone, both of Oakland; four sisters, Jean McGinnis, Wheeling, W.Va., Sue Calhoun and Louise Queen, both of Terra Alta, W.Va., and Mabel Teter, Kingwood, W.Va.; three brothers, Leroy Stone and Ronald Stone, both of Kingwood, and Thomas Stone, Reedsville; and three grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Stewart Funeral Home, Oakland, where a service was conducted Sunday, April 27, with the Rev. William McCallister officiating.

Interment followed in the Bayard (W.Va.) Cemetery. Military honors were accorded at the cemetery by members of the various veterans organizations in southern Garrett County.

HEBB, Gwendolyn (White)

Hebb, 73, a resident of the Location community, St. George, W.Va., died Saturday, April 26, 1997, at her home.

Born Dec. 23, 1923, at White Ridge (Tucker County), W.Va., she was a daughter of the late Morris L. and Mary L. (Watring) White. She was also preceded in death by one son, Kenneth H. Hebb; one foster son, Billy E. Whetfall; five brothers, Paul White, Ralph "Rowdy" White, Kenneth White, Blaine White, and Dale White; and one granddaughter.

She attended schools in Tucker County and at the time of her death she was a 17-year cook for the Tucker County Board of Education. She was a member of the Good Tidings Assembly of God Church, Location, and taught the primary Sunday School class for many years.

Survivors include her husband, Kenneth P. Hebb, whom she married Dec. 30, 1942, at Red House; three sons, Ralph T. Hebb and Allen L. Hebb, both of St. George, and Perry D. Hebb, Thomas, W.Va.; two daughters, Kenanette Burns, St. George, and Mary J. Stemple, Aurora, W.Va.; one foster daughter, Vicky A. Williams, Parsons, W.Va.; four brothers, Robert E. White, Thomas, Jerry R. White and Delford White, both of St. George, and Morris L. White, Ashabula, Ohio; four sisters, Elizabeth Close and Madeline Messiora, both of Morgantown, W.Va.; Betty L. White, St. George, and Effie Dot Dumire, Oakland; 16 grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Jeffrey A. Barb Funeral Home, Parsons. A service was conducted at the Good Tidings Assembly of God Church on Wednesday, April 30, with Pastor Iris Skipper and Pastor Gail Hixon officiating. Interment was in Fairview Cemetery, Location.

HUGH A. REAMS

Hugh A. Reams, 85, Swallow Falls Road, Oakland, died Thursday, May 1, 1997, at Garrett County Memorial Hospital, Oakland.

The Stewart Funeral Home, Oakland, is in charge of arrangements which are incomplete.

CHARLES R. FALSTICK

Charles R. Falstick, 50, Kill Devil Hills, N.C., died Wednesday, April 23, at a hospital in North Carolina.

Born Nov. 13, 1946, in Washington, D.C., he was a son of Edna M. (Hardesty) Falstick, Deer Park, and the late Clement J. Falstick, U.S. Army Retired.

In addition to his mother he is survived by his wife of 23 years, Esther S. (King) Falstick, Gaithersburg; one daughter, Jennifer L. Falstick, Gaithersburg; one son, Charles R. Falstick, Gaithersburg; and one brother, James Patrick Falstick, Scranton, Kan.

Mr. Falstick's wish was to be cremated.

MELVIN FAZENBAKER

Melvin Fazenbaker, 66, Barton, died Saturday, April 26, 1997, at his home.

Born Sept. 9, 1930, in Garrett County, he was the son of the late Sylvester and Mary Janet (Schriver) Fazenbaker. He was also preceded in death by two brothers, Carl Fazenbaker and Lee Fazenbaker.

He formerly worked for Kaiser Refractories for 18 years. He also worked for the town of Barton, and retired from D.K. Erectors in Winchester, Va.

He was a member and past president of the Barton Hose Co., a former Boy Scout leader, and a member of the Barton Senior Citizens.

Survivors include his wife, Phyllis (Fazenbaker) Fazenbaker; one son, Melvin Fazenbaker, Barton; one daughter, Gail Fazenbaker, Barton; and one grandson.

He was the last surviving member of his immediate family.

Friends were received at the Boal Memorial Chapel, Barton, where a service was conducted Wednesday, April 30, with the Rev. Harold Malone and the Rev. John Park officiating. Interment was in the Laurel Hill Cemetery, Moscow Mills.

The Barton Hose Co. held a memorial service Tuesday evening at the Boal Chapel.

DONALD R. ARNOLD

Donald R. Arnold, 64, Mansfield, Ohio, died Sunday, April 13, 1997, at the MedCentral/Mansfield Hospital.

Born May 15, 1932, in Oakland, he was a son of Nay T. Arnold, Mansfield, and the late Merrill Edna (Cooper) Arnold.

He was reared in Garrett County and was a graduate of Oakland High School. He moved to the Mansfield area in 1959.

A U.S. Air Force veteran of the Korean Conflict, he was retired from the Mansfield-Ontario General Motors plant. He was a member of Peoples Baptist Church, where he was active in the ministries. He was also an avid woodworker.

In addition to his father, he is survived by his wife, Patricia (Craft) Arnold; two sons, Donald Ray Arnold Jr., Pasqua, Miss., and James R. Arnold, Mansfield; two daughters, Anna A. Tackett, Mansfield, and Jennifer Lynn Arnold, at home; two brothers, Willard C. Arnold, Mansfield, and Richard H. Arnold, Mount Gilead, Ohio; one sister, Elma Allene Schonauer, Bellville, Ohio; and five grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Diamond Street Home of Wapner Funeral Directors, Mansfield. A service was conducted at the Peoples Baptist Church on Thursday, April 17, with the Rev. Richard Abney officiating. Interment was in the Mansfield Cemetery.

The family suggests memorials take the form of contributions to the bus ministry of the Peoples Baptist Church.

JAMES P. ROOK SR.

James Philip Rook Sr., 69, Oakland, died Saturday, April 26, 1997, at Garrett County Memorial Hospital, Oakland.

Born Nov. 28, 1927, in Oakland, he was a son of the late Harold Eugene and Edwana (Peddicord) Rook.

He worked as an insurance agent for Nationwide Insurance for 19 years, and later for the U.S. Postal Service until his retirement. He was a 50-year member of St. Paul's United Methodist Church, and a member of the Oakland Volunteer Fire Department for 28 years. He served as both president and secretary of the OVFD, and was a past member of the Oakland-Mountain Lake Park Lions Club.

Survivors include his wife, Beverly (Flanigan) Rook; one son, J. Philip Rook Jr., Oakland; two daughters, DiAnne Lynn Brown, Sacramento, Calif., and Lisa Marie Rook, Oakland; one brother, H. Eugene Rook, Harrisburg, Pa.; and two grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Durst Funeral Home, Oakland, where a service was conducted Wednesday, April 30, with the Rev. Roger Harrison officiating. Cremation followed.

The family requests that memorials take the form of contributions to the Oakland Volunteer Fire Department or the Southern Garrett Rescue Squad.

ROBERT B. FRIEND

Robert B. Friend, 87, Tucson, Ariz., died Wednesday, April 23, 1997, in Tucson.

Born June 13, 1909, in Garrett County, he was a son of the late Richard B. and Sadie L. (DeWitt) Friend. He was also preceded in death by one brother, Montell Friend.

He resided in Tucson for many years.

Survivors include one daughter, Eleanor (Friend) Young, Upton, Mass.; two grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Interment will be in Garrett County Memorial Gardens at a later date.

JOHN L. STEVENS

John L. Stevens, 78, Accident, died Saturday, April 26, 1997.

He was born July 5, 1918, near Dundalk, a son of the late Clyde and Edith (McGowan) Stevens. He was also preceded in death by two brothers, Orville Stevens and Robert E. Stevens; and one sister, Dorothy Boyer.

He was a retired bricklayer, and also taught a bricklaying job course at Port Deposit.

Survivors include his wife, Marie (Daugherty) Stevens; two sons, Kraig M. Stevens, Dundalk, and Kim T. Stevens, Baltimore; one sister, Elaine Watson, Harford County; one brother, Melvin Stevens, Red Lion, Pa.; and three grandchildren.

Friends were received at the Duda-Ruck Funeral Home in Dundalk, where a service was conducted Wednesday, April 30, with the Rev. String officiating. Interment was in the Oak Lawn Cemetery.

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Browning Senior Center Releases Activity Schedule

The Mary Browning Senior Center has released its May activity schedule. For further information, call Liz Edgar of the Garrett County Community Action Committee's Area Agency on Aging at 301-334-9431, ext. 134.

Ongoing Activities
Tote painting class meets Wednesdays from 9 a.m. to noon. Craft class meets Wednesdays and Fridays from 11 a.m. to noon. Exercise class meets Wednesdays and Fridays from 11 to 11:30 a.m.

Special Activities
Week one - On Friday, May 2, from 11:30 a.m. to noon, Attorney Donald



TOURISM WEEK PROCLAIMED - The Garrett County Commissioners on Tuesday proclaimed the county's observance of Tourism Week, May 4-10. The proclamation signed by the officials states in part that tourism has a major impact on the economic, social, and cultural well-being of the county as well as the country, and that it is a major contributor to the economic base of the state. The tourism industry, as stated in the document, "is a prime contributor of internal peace, understanding, and good will, through reciprocal programs of travel opportunity." The Garrett County Promotion Council has slated several visits to information centers to provide information to travelers about the mountaintop. Pictured left to right are Diane Wolfe, promotion council director; Commissioner Roger Giotfelly; Jim Hinebaugh, economic development director; and Commissioners Wayne Wilt and John Braskey.

Goldbloom will present an educational program on current issues affecting seniors and their families. A question and answer session will be included.

Week two - On Wednesday, May 7, from 11:30 a.m. to noon, John White from Bell Atlantic will cover the reasons for Garrett County's new area codes and how to use them. On Friday, May 9, from 11:30 a.m. to noon, the Mother of the Year will be honored in a Mother's Day program, featuring music by The Dulcimers.

Week three - On Tuesday, May 13, there will be a trip to the Morgantown

Mall. On Wednesday, May 14, from 11:30 a.m. to noon, Donna Cumerlato of Big Brothers/Big Sisters will explain her organization's activities. On Friday, May 16, from 10:30 to 11:45 a.m., Gail Dever of the health department will conduct blood pressure screenings and give a presentation on nutrition concerns.

Week four - On Wednesday, May 21, from 11:30 a.m. to noon, Jane Sickler of the Information and Assistance Program will provide an update on matters of interest to seniors. On Friday, May 23, from 11 a.m. to noon, Nancy Brady of the health department will lead chair exercises, line dancing and the macarena.

Week five - On Wednesday, May 28, from 11:30 a.m. to noon, "Silly Hat Day" will be celebrated, with judging and prizes. (Creativity is encouraged!) On Friday, May 30, from 11:15 a.m. to noon, Irmgard Koscielniak will give a presentation on humor.

Seniors Luncheon
A senior nutrition program lunch is served at noon every Wednesday and Friday. Meal reservations are required and can be obtained by calling 301-334-9431, ext. 131, prior to 9 a.m. on those days.

and Bertha (Howdyshell) Bean. She was also preceded in death by her husband, Jacob Howard, on April 4, 1996; three brothers; and one sister.

She was a member of the Bloomington United Methodist Church and a member of the Women's Society of the church.

Survivors include one daughter, Frances Green, Bloomington; four sisters, Eva Randells, Piedmont, W.Va., Bernice Wildman, Swanton, Lena McIlwee, Keyser, and Margaret Wilt, New Creek, W.Va.; and one grandson.

Friends were received at the Fredlock Funeral Home, Piedmont, where a service was conducted Tuesday, April 29, with the Rev. Donald Nelson officiating. Interment followed in Garrett County Memorial Gardens, Oakland.

The family requests that memorials be directed to the Tri-Towns Rescue Squad.

DODD M. FISHER JR.
Dodd M. "Jack" Fisher Jr., 55, Morgantown, W.Va., formerly of Mt. Storm, W.Va., died Friday, April

18, 1997, at his home.

Born Jan. 16, 1942, at Petersburg, W.Va., the son of Mabel (Steyer) Fisher Isaacs, Youngtown, Ariz., and the late Dodd M. Fisher.

He was a graduate of Taylor University, Upland, Ind., and received his master's degree from West Virginia University in Morgantown. He was a professor at Weirton College and retired after 19 years of service. He was a member of the Mt. Storm United Methodist Church.

In addition to his mother, he is survived by his stepfather, Don Isaacs, Youngtown; and one sister, Karen B. Bell, Pisgah Forest, N.C.

A memorial service was conducted at the Mt. Storm United Methodist Church, with the Rev. Shelba Sisler officiating. Interment was in Mt. Storm Cemetery.

The family suggests memorials be directed to the Mt. Storm United Methodist Church, the Mt. Storm Cemetery, or a charity of the donor's choice.

MARY ANN K. LILLIE
Mary Ann K. Lillie, 58, Horse Shoe Run, W.Va., died suddenly on Friday, April 25, 1997.

Born Jan. 16, 1939, in Washington, D.C., she was the daughter of the late Joseph M. and Maude W. Kingsbury, who lived in Kensington. She was also preceded in death by her

son, Andrew Dougall Lillie, and her sister, Louise K. Rice.

Survivors include her husband, Andrew Theodore Lillie; one daughter, Katherine Ann Lillie, Horse Shoe Run; her ward, John E. Kaufman, Horse Shoe Run; two sisters, Genevieve K. O'Connell and Doris K. Lee, both of Kensington; and five grandsons.

A Mass of Christian Bur-

ial was celebrated at St. Mary's Roman Catholic Church, Barnesville, on Wednesday, April 30, with the Rev. Father George Reid as celebrant. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the Leukemia Society, Maryland Chapter, 8600 LaSalle Road, Baltimore, MD 21204.

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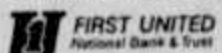
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MARY A. HOWARD

Mary A. Howard, 95, Bloomington, died Saturday, April 26, 1997, at the Heartland of Keyser (W.Va.) Nursing Home.

Born July 3, 1901, in Hampshire, W.Va., she was a daughter of the late Amos

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Rams Continue Winning Ways With Three More Victories

After a disappointing upset loss to Hampshire early last week, the Southern High baseball team got things back on a winning track and recorded three more victories this past week. The Rams, who have now won nine of their last 10 games and lead the Western Maryland Interscholastic League standings with a 9-1 mark, defeated host Mount Savage on Saturday, 5-3, stopped Beall on Tuesday, 3-0, and won at Oakland, 8-3, also in Oakland, and recorded a 13-3 victory over Westmar last night, also at home. The Rams are 9-3 overall.

Joel Uphold limited Mount Savage to just three hits in going the distance for the Rams on Saturday, while Mike Welch and Seth Tressler led Southern's offense with home runs.

Uphold struck out 16 of the Indians and walked only two.

The Rams took a 3-0 lead in the top of the first behind a two-run blast by Welch. A solo homer in the bottom of the inning by Mount Savage's Mike Brailer was matched in the top



FIRING A ONE-HITTER for the Southern High varsity this week was junior Chad Warnick, who led the Rams to an 8-3 win over Beall on Tuesday. Warnick struck out 14 batters in the process. In the background is Ram first baseman Seth Tressler. The Rams won three games this week and have won nine of their last 10. They will play again this Saturday at home against Preston County in a 3 p.m. doubleheader.

of the fourth by Tressler to give the Rams a 4-1 advantage.

The Indians cut the lead to 4-3 with a pair of runs in the bottom of the fifth, but Uphold held the home team scoreless in the final two innings to preserve his win.

Derek Everd finished with a pair of singles for Southern and Jason Weaver rapped a triple. Besides Brailer's home run, the only other Indian hits off Uphold were singles by Billy O'Neal and Mark Moulden. Uphold earned the win over freshman Larry O'Baker, who gave up seven hits, struck out five, and walked two. The loss dropped Mount Savage to 5-6 overall and 3-4 in the Western Maryland Interscholastic League standings.

Southern hurler Chad Warnick recorded a one-hitter for the Rams against

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Beall on Tuesday, as he gave up nothing more than a fourth-inning single to Ryan Raley in going the distance. Warnick, a junior, struck out 14 of the Mountaineers and walked four.

Again the Ram offense wasted no time taking the advantage on the scoreboard, as they recorded four runs in the bottom of the first when Everd and Weaver hit back-to-back doubles and Uphold followed with a two-run homer to make it 3-0. Warnick then doubled and ultimately scored on a single by freshman Jordan Uphold.

Southern upped its lead to 6-0 in the second inning when Aaron Newcomb led off with a double and scored on a single by Everd, who scored later in the inning on an error.

Everd added a two-run double in the sixth to give Southern an 8-0 lead. The Mountaineers rallied for three runs in the final frame, but could get no closer. It was Beall's 11th defeat in 17 starts (2-9 in the WMIL).

Everd led Southern's nine-hit performance with two doubles and a single that yielded three runs. Jordan Uphold added two singles.

Joel Uphold provided another strong performance on the mound for the Rams yesterday in their win over Westmar and also spearheaded the offense, as he hit a three-run homer and a run-producing single.

On the mound he allowed seven hits, struck out five, and walked only one. The game was called after five innings because of the 10-run rule.

Other multiple hitters for the Rams, who finished with a dozen hits, were Chad Warnick with a double and two singles for one RBI, Jordan Uphold with three singles and two RBIs, and Derek Everd with a double and a single.

Getting two hits each for the Wildcats were Aaron Wilt with a double and a single and T.J. Morgan with two singles.

Coach Jim Bosley's Rams are scheduled to host Preston County in a doubleheader this Saturday, beginning at 3 p.m., entertain

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Andrews and Keith Parks each singled twice for the Rams, with Parks also finishing with an RBI. Jayme Brailford and Travis Taylor each had two singles and Tony Haywood had a run-producing double for Keyser.

It was the fifth straight win for the Golden Tornado (7-4).

Coach Tom Bosley's Rams are slated to host Allegany in a doubleheader this Saturday (10 a.m. start) and conclude their season with a single game at Fort Hill next Wednesday.

Local Grapplers Participate In National Event

Two members of the Southern Mat Club youth wrestling club competed in the Eastern National Championships April 19 at Millersville, Pa. Seven weeks ago, over 11,000 young athletes began their quest to become recognized as one of the best wrestlers in the country. This weekend the top 12 in each weight class and age group competed for the title of Eastern National Champion.

Nick Tressler and Justin Ratliff represented the Southern Mat Club. Each of these young athletes qualified for the nationals by placing second in the regional tournament two weeks prior. Both were coached this year by Buck Liller, who said, "These kids worked hard for the privilege of wrestling in the Nationals and the entire team is proud to have them representing us."

Tressler, competing in the bantam class at 40 lbs., lost in a close match in his opening round by the score of 4-2. In his next match, he lost a heartbreaking 6-4 decision in a match he dominated in all areas except the score. Nick, at 6 years old, was the youngest in his age group. "Nick will have a great chance again next year as he competes as the oldest in his group," Liller said.

Justin Ratliff ran into some outstanding competition in his bantam group. "I am amazed at the skills these 6- and 7-year-old kids have. Justin is an excellent wrestler, but was out-matched by his opponents who must have started competing while still in diapers," commented Coach Dave Taylor. Justin lost both of his contests.

The Southern Mat Club's season is now complete and will begin again next November. Anyone interested in joining this group may contact any team member or coach.

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Huskies Blanked By Indians, But Then Defeat Flintstone

The Northern Huskies could not get their offense going on Tuesday against visiting Mt. Savage and were whipped 10-0, but came back last night to defeat Flintstone, 8-6, also at the Cove.

The Huskies managed to get just four hits off Mount Savage's Jason Skidmore in Tuesday's Western Maryland Interscholastic League game, as the Indians evened their overall record at 6-6 (4-4 WMIL).

Herman Arndt rapped a double to get the Huskies' only extra-base hit of the afternoon.

Leading the Indians' eight-hit effort were Jared Martin, who had a double and a single for an RBI, Brian DeHaven and Scott Simpson, who each contributed a two-run double, and Steve Bennett, who singled twice and added an RBI.

Matt Fritz took the loss



SLIDING INTO HOME for the first Northern High School run against Flintstone last night was Zach Rawe, who smacked a double and two singles for the Huskies in an 8-7 victory. Teammate Herman Arndt finished with three doubles and a single in the Huskies' 10-hit performance.

on the mound.

Down 6-5 last night, the Huskies rallied for three runs in the sixth inning to earn their win over Flintstone (8-7), as Jeremy Reed pitched one and a third innings in relief to get the victory.

When Reed took the mound in the top of the sixth, the Aggies had two runners on base and two outs. He walked the first batter to load the bases and then forced a ground-out to keep his team within a run (6-5).

Chris Herman and E.J. Scofield led off the bottom of the sixth with walks. Herman Arndt followed with a double that scored Herman and tied the game. Matt Fritz then rapped a sacrifice fly that brought Scofield home with what would be the winning run. Arndt added an insurance run by scoring on an error.

Arndt finished with three doubles and a single in the Huskies' 10-hit performance. Zach Rawe had a double and two singles, and Scott Sisler and Adam Bach each contributed first-inning RBI singles.

Leading the Aggies with a pair of singles was B.J. Zirkle, the losing pitcher. Bruce Shreve had a double.

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Husky Jayvees Win Three Of Five Match-Ups

The Northern High junior varsity baseball team split games with both Beall and Westmar this past week, in single outings with the Mountaineers and in a doubleheader with Westmar. The Huskies whipped the Beall jayvees last week in Frostburg, 10-0, and lost to the same team on Tuesday, 9-3, at the Cove. Sandwiched in between on Saturday was the twinbill with Westmar, also on the Huskies diamond, when the Wildcats won the first game, 9-8, and the Huskies took the nightcap, 14-4.

Then last night at Fort Hill, the Huskies topped the Sentinel jayvees, 7-5, to improve their season mark to 4-8.

Brant Green tossed a two-hitter for the Huskies in the win over Beall, while Ryan Butler led the Northern offensive effort with a home run and a single for two RBI. Levi Schmuck added two singles and two RBI.

Getting both hits for Beall was Kevin Filer.

The first game against Westmar on Saturday took eight innings to decide, as the score was knotted at 8-8 after seven. Jamie Clark had a double and two singles, and David Ziler and Shawn Mowbrey each hit homers to pace the Wildcats.

Schmuck led Northern's hitting with two doubles and a single. Jeff Carr doubled and singled, and getting two singles apiece were Adam Brenneman and Paul Beitzel.

Matt Settle took the loss on the mound and Zach Bittinger went the distance

double and a single. Bittinger finished with two singles for Westmar.

A grand slam and a single by Beall's Jeremy Smith led the Mountaineers to their 9-3 win over the Huskies on Tuesday, while teammate Pete Gostomski added three singles.

Brian Savage had a two-run blast for the Huskies and Butler added a double. Derek Yates pitched the first five innings for Beall to get the win over Brant Green.

Last night's win over Fort Hill featured a fifth-inning comeback when what was intended to be a sacrifice bunt by Tim Umbel became a bunt single. The Huskies were down 4-0 until that inning.

Schmuck smacked a triple and had two RBI for the Huskies. B.A. Sisler finished with two singles, and Matt Settle earned the win on the mound. Umbel also excelled defensively.

Jimmy Barrett, who took the loss for Fort Hill, had two singles and Brandon Jenkins finished with a home run and a single.

Northern is slated to play again this Friday at home against Keyser.



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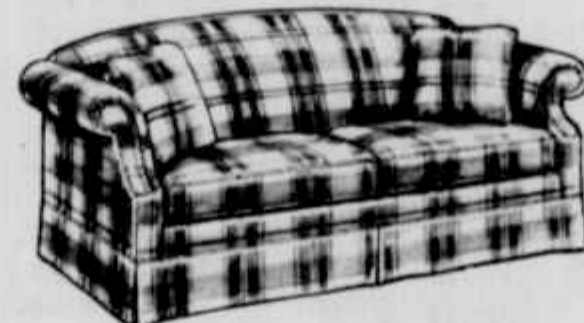
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Northern Girls Use "Lucky 13" To Win Three Contests

Thirteen is often thought of as an unlucky number, but don't say that to the members of the Northern High School girls' softball team, who recorded that many runs in each of their three games this past week. The Huskies defeated visiting Salisbury on Friday, 13-8, whipped host Flintstone Monday afternoon, 13-3, and completed the 13-run sweep by knocking off county rival Southern on Tuesday for the second time this season, 13-5.

The victories improved the Huskies' season mark to 8-7, which they are slated to put on the line this afternoon at Fort Hill.

In the win over Salisbury, Brooke Brenneman and Kristin Heslop led Northern's nine-hit effort with a triple and a single each.

The Huskies took a 3-0 lead in the first inning before the Elks came back with six runs in the top of the second. Northern answered with two runs in the Salisbury 060 020 0-8 9 6 Northern 324 211 x-13 9 3

Beth Ringler and Peggy Byrd; Arissa Kenner and Erin Butler.

bottom of the second and took the lead for good with four runs in the bottom of the third.

Arissa Kenner pitched the final five innings for the Huskies and allowed just two more runs. Brenneman and Kista Knox each fin-

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ished with two RBI.
Leading Salisbury's nine-hit offensive performance were Rachel Deer with three triples and Beth Ringler and Rachel Miller with a double and a single apiece. The loss was the eighth in 10 starts for the Elks.

Monday's win over Flintstone was limited to five innings because of the 10-run rule. The Huskies wasted no time taking control of the contest, as they recorded seven runs in the first inning.

Northern finished with only six hits, but were aided by the Aggie defense, which committed 11 errors. Erin Selders had a third of the Huskies' hits with two singles and Brenneman added a double.

Southern 130 100 0-5 8 5
Northern 134 212 x-13 7 1
Jennifer Teagarden, Autumn Newcomb (6) and Erica Johnson; Jennifer Thomas and Erin Butler.

Mindy McCarty went the distance on the mound, from which she struck out four and allowed just four hits, including a double by Stefanie McMillan. The Aggies dropped to 2-9 with the defeat.

Northern was out-hit by an 8-7 margin by the Southern Rams in Tuesday's game, but the Huskies made more efficient use of their hits and scored in all six innings. A four-run third inning broke a 4-4 tie and gave the Huskies the lead for good.

Heslop finished with a triple and a double for the Huskies, Erin Butler had a double and a single, and Mimi Harvey singled twice. Jennifer Thomas went the distance on the mound to record the win.

Leading the Rams' hitting were Amanda Reese with a triple and a single, and Erica Johnson and Ary

Bosley, who each doubled and singled.
The Rams, who dropped

to 5-7 with the loss, are also slated to play again today at home against Allegany.

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Although the winning streak of Garrett Community College was halted at 16 last Thursday by the West Virginia Wesleyan jayvees in Buckhannon, 9-7, the Lakers came back Friday to defeat visiting Cecil CC, 3-1, then split a doubleheader with Westmoreland at home on Saturday, winning the first game, 6-0, and dropping the second, 12-8.

Garrett then stopped visiting Dundalk CC on Sunday, 8-3, before falling to Montgomery-Rockville in a slugfest last night at McHenry, 21-12. The results gave the Lakers a 23-9 overall record and a 16-4 mark in the Maryland JUCO. The Lakers have just one more doubleheader

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Rulli led the Laker offense in last Thursday's loss to Wesleyan, as he finished with a double and two singles, while Jeremy Miller hit a pair of doubles.

Matt Bell tossed a six-hitter and upped his personal mark to 6-2 for the Lakers on Friday against Cecil, but went into the bottom of the eighth inning trailing 1-0. That's when the Lakers put all three of their runs on the board.

After five innings of scoreless ball, Cecil took a 1-0 lead in the top of the sixth, as Shawn Vincent led off with a single, advanced to second on a sacrifice, and scored on a two-out single by Colin Sweitzer.

The Lakers had two outs in the bottom of the eighth when they began their winning rally. Brian Hays initiated it with a double and came home on a double by J.D. Hawkins to tie the score. Gene Sethman followed with a single to plate Hawkins, and a double by Jeremy Fitzwater down the first base line allowed Sethman to come home for the insurance run.

Bell threw only 107 pitches in going the nine-inning distance. He struck out seven and walked only one.

Hays doubled twice for the Lakers, and Hawkins had a single to go with his RBI double. Sweitzer finished with three of the six hits off Bell.

Ben Jones and Hawkins were given the pitching duties by Coach Ed Wildesen in the first game against Westmoreland CC on Saturday, and the duo allowed a total of only four hits and no runs.

Jones pitched the first four innings and got credit for the win, which upped his personal record to 6-1, while Hawkins pitched the last three innings to record his fourth save.

Leading the Lakers' 12-hit effort in the first game were Jeremy Miller, who had a solo homer and a double for three RBI, Matt Stallings with two doubles and a single for two RBI, and a double and a single each by Brian Tingen, Hays, and Sethman. Miller and Sethman also scored two runs apiece.

The Laker defense struggled in the second game and allowed Westmoreland to take advantage of seven errors, five of which occurred in the first two innings when the visitors built a 9-2 lead. Nine of Westmoreland's 12 runs were unearned.

Adam Spino paced the Pennsylvania team with a double and two singles, Larry Emert had two doubles, and Jason Braken

Dundalk 010 101 0- 3 6 1
Garrett 002 600 x- 8 7 0
Mark Shelly and David Galford; J.D. Hawkins and Ryan Flanagan.
HR - Brian Kiffin (Dundalk); Jeremy Miller (grand slam), Denny Ruli, Brian Tingen (Garrett).



THOUGH NOT HIS FORTE, Dennis Rulli still occasionally pitches for the Garrett Community College Lakers, as he did last night against Montgomery-Rockville. But his real strength is his hitting ability, and Rulli learned this past week that he was ranked fourth in the nation (Division I, junior colleges) in hitting. The dean's list freshman from Canfield, Ohio, came into the week batting an incredible .518, with 43 hits in 83 at-bats, including eight home runs. The Lakers will conclude their regular season of play this Friday at Anne Arundel and will proceed into post-season JUCO play next week.

single to tie.

The Laker offense generated only six hits, but put a number of runs on the board as a result of drawing 11 walks. Stallings took the loss on the mound.

A grand slam by Jeremy Miller in the fourth inning was a highlight of Sunday's win over Dundalk, as the Lakers scored six of their eight runs in that inning.

After falling behind 1-0, Tingen put the first Laker run on the board with a solo homer in the third inning. After his blast, Miller singled and was later doubled home by Hays to give Garrett a 2-1 lead.

The Lions tied the score with a run in the top of the fourth, but the Lakers took the lead for good with their six runs in the bottom of that frame. Sethman led off the Lakers' half of the inning with a walk and Matt Stallings reached on a throwing error on his sacrifice bunt. Tingen and Mike Fiabane then drew walks to force in a run and Miller followed with his grand slam. Dennis Rulli ended the Laker scoring with a solo home run, the third round-tripper of the day for Garrett.

Tingen and Miller each had a single to go with their homers.

Hawkins earned the win on the mound by going the distance with three strikeouts and allowing six hits. The win upped his record

Rockville 231 115 305-21 20 1
Garrett 100 021 125-12 13 1
Bentleano, Tim Honnick (9) and Joey Morrell, Matt Bell, J.D. Hawkins (2), Jason Lantz (6), Denny Rulli (7), Jeremy Fitzwater (9) and Ryan Flanagan.
HR - Denny Rulli, Gene Sethman (2) (Garrett).

cept pitching," Wildesen said. "But it was really the first bad outing in 32 games for our pitching staff, so I can be too upset about it."

"Thirteen hits, 12 runs, and only one error should be more than enough to win a game, but they hit even better," he added. Coming into the game, the Lakers were hitting with a team average of .345.

Rams, Huskies Split Matches On The Courts

The girls' tennis team of Northern High School upped its season record to 6-2 by defeating cross-country rival Southern yesterday in Accident, 5-2, while the Southern boys' squad topped the Northern boys, 5-2.

Leading the Northern girls with singles victories were Kathy Arnold, Anika Weth, Lori Arnold, and Kristen Wright. The team of Dana Braskey and Abby Bruch won in doubles to account for the Huskies' final point.

Southern's points were earned by undefeated Meghan Dabney in singles and by Dabney and Megan Mou with a doubles win.

In the boys' match, Brandon Ferguson, Jamie Durst, and Todd Tasker won in singles for the Rams. Ferguson and Justin Stevens, and Bryson Paugh and Bo Jonson then won doubles matches to give the Rams their total of five points.

Winning in singles for the Huskies were Joe Weimer and David Butler. The

loss dropped the Northern boys to 2-6 on the season.

Northern is slated to host Beall today, while Southern entertains Fort Hill. The Rams will play Fort Hill again Friday in Cumberland and host Allegany next Wednesday.

Northern
Southern

Singles
Meghan Dabney, S, def. Jamie Jo Vent, 6-1, 6-4; Kathy Arnold, N, def. Megan Mou, 6-1, 5-7, 7-5; Anika Weth, N, def. Amy Suesse, 6-1, 6-1; Lori Arnold, N, def. Desire Spady, 6-2, 6-2.

Doubles
Dabney and Mou, S, def. Vent and Weth, 6-4, 6-2; Dana Braskey and Abby Bruch, N, 6-1, 6-0.

Southern
Northern

Singles
Brandon Ferguson, S, def. Steve Hinebaugh, 6-1, 6-1; Joe Weimer, N, def. Justin Stevens, 1-6, 6-4, 7-5; David Butler, N, def. Mike Parnapio, 6-0, 6-3; Jamie Durst, S, def. Tavaris Harris, 7-6, 6-4; Todd Tasker, S, def. Pete Brosnahan, 6-2, 6-1.

Doubles
Ferguson/Stevens, S, def. Hinebaugh/Joe Weimer, 6-3, 6-0; Bryson Paugh/Bo Jonson, S, def. Adam Weimer/Ron Weimer, 6-2, 6-4.

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Southern Girls Fourth In Area Meet; Huskies Eighth

The Southern High girls' track and field team captured fourth place among nine teams in last night's annual Area Meet, hosted this year by Fort Hill at Greenway Stadium in Cumberland. The Rams finished with 80.5 points, while the Northern Huskies finished eighth with 13.5 points.

Frankfort won the event with 107.5 points, followed by Fort Hill with 98 and Keyser with 87.5. Hampshire was fifth with 57 points, Mount Savage finished sixth with 45 points, Allegany was seventh with 37 points, and Beall was ninth with one point.

Leading the Southern girls were: Lauren Newcomb, who finished second in the triple jump and third in the 1,600-meter run; Christy Hoalcraft, who was second in the 100 high hurdles and fourth in the 300 hurdles; Erin Hoalcraft, who was fourth in both the

1,600 and 3,200 runs; Amy Snyder, who placed third in the 400-meter dash; Angie Sincell, who was third in the 3,200 run; Kaitlyn McBee, who was fourth in the 800 run; Toni Sullivan, who placed fourth in the long jump; and Kerri Cannon, who finished fifth in the shot put.

Several of the above also were members of the 1,600 and 3,200 relay teams which finished second and the 800 relay team which placed third.

The Northern Huskies' were paced by Jane Williamson, who finished third in the high jump, and Jill Speicher, who was fifth in the 400 dash.

The Rams are slated to host Preston County next Tuesday and travel to Beall next Thursday, along with the Northern Huskies, to compete in the WMIL championships.

Southern Boys Finish Fifth, Huskies Seventh In Area Meet

The boys' track and field team of Southern High School finished fifth and the Northern High boys placed seventh in the annual All-Area Track and Field Championships, held Tuesday evening in Frostburg. Eight teams, including five 2A and three 1A size schools (including Southern and Northern) were represented in the event.

The Southern boys finished with 59.5 points, while the Huskies recorded 14 team points. Fort Hill won first place with 161 points, followed by Frankfort with 119, Allegany with 82, Keyser with 63.5, Southern, Hampshire with 53.5, Northern, and host Beall with 3.5 points.

The Rams were led by jumper Jared Beckman,

who placed second in the high jump with a leap of six feet, six inches, which broke his own school record. He also finished second in the long jump and the triple jump. Frankfort's Brian Plummer won first place in all three of those events and set a new Beall Stadium record in the high jump with a 6'7" effort. Plummer finished the evening with four first places, as he also won the 400-meter dash.

Nathan Rickman finished third in the 400-meter dash and was a member of the 3,200- and 1,600-meter relay teams, which won second places. Other members of those teams included Brian Park, Tim McCauley, Ted Wolf, Chad Lovett, and Eric Rexrode.

Rexrode earned a fifth

place in the 1,600-meter run, Dan Sincell was fifth in the 3,200-meter run, and Matt Sincell tied for sixth place in the pole vault.

The Southern 400 and 800 relay teams placed fourth. Those teams included the relay team members named above plus Justin Helbig and John Franca.

Leading the Northern Huskies' effort were Randolph Baumgartel, who placed third in the triple jump, and Jeremy McKenzie, who finished sixth in the 300 hurdles.

The All-Area Girls' Championships were held last night at Greenway Stadium in Cumberland (see separate story).

Husky Netters Split Match; Sweep Beall

The tennis teams of Northern High School split a match with visiting Fort Hill last Thursday and the swept host Beall on Tuesday. The Northern girls topped Fort Hill by a 6-1 margin and blanked Beall, 7-0, while the Husky boys were whitewashed by the Sentinels, 7-0, but then defeated Beall, 6-1.

Winning for the Northern girls in singles competition against Fort Hill were Jamie Jo Vent, Kathy Arnold, Lori Arnold, and Dana Braskey on the courts, and Kristen Wright via a forfeit.

The remaining team point was recorded by the doubles team of Katie Sisler and Amanda Downton.

Earning the only point for Fort Hill was the doubles team of Emily Morozek and Sarah Grogg, which narrowly defeated Northern's Abby Bruch and Danielle Polk (10-8).

The Northern boys, suf-

Northern 6
Beall 1

Singles
Steve Hinebaugh, N. def. Justyn McFarland 10-3; Eli Davis, B. def. David Butler 11-9; Tavaris Harris, N. def. Rob Marsh 11-9; Pete Brosnihan, N. def. Brian Boore 10-2; Northern won by forfeit.

Doubles
Hinebaugh and Brosnihan, N. def. McFarland and Davis 10-8.
Exhibition
Marsh and Boore, B. def. Adam Weimer and Ron Weimer 10-8.

Northern 7
Beall 0

Singles
Jamie Jo Vent, N. def. Jennifer Davis 10-0; Kathie Arnold, N. def. Megan Adams 10-1; Anika Weth, N. def. Kirsten Getz 10-2; Lori Arnold, N. def. Valery Via 10-2; Kristin Wright, N. def. Jerilyn Jackson 10-3.

Doubles
Dana Braskey and Abby Bruch, N. def. Davis and Getz 10-4; Danielle Polk and Katie Sisler, N. def. Lacy McManus and Adams 10-2.

Garrett County

Outdoors

By Robert Yonke

As we move into May, *Ursus Americanus*, the black bear is entering its breeding season. They are now active and moving about and are most apt to be encountered by humans who are frequenting the outdoors.

Anyhow, the black bear is not an uncommon sight in Garrett County. Many property owners have found them in and around their residences and, who can forget last year's regular sightings in the freshly plowed field across the road from St. John's Episcopal Church on Route 135 in Deer Park. Sightings and encounters can be expected to increase as the bear population of the area continues to grow.

Bears find their food primarily by scent and they are opportunistic feeders. Their primary diet consists of fruit, mast, leaves, grass, insects, roots, reptiles, small mammals, fish, carrion, and garbage. Occasionally a bear will prey on farm animals or get into a corn crop if the mast crop is light that year. They also are known to raid camper's food and honeybee hives.

The bears of the county represent little danger to humans. Bears instinctively fear humans and are not normally aggressive toward people. Things that can modify this behavior however are (1) feeding bears and (2) leaving food or garbage where it is easily accessible. This often leads bears to believe that humans are indeed a source of food and misunderstandings of this sort can turn into disasters.

Campers, hikers, and fishermen in the heavily forested state parks and forests are more likely to encounter a bear than folks at home. It is important to remember that if you see a bear at a distance to give it plenty of room. Don't surprise the bear if at all possible. Rather, try to get upwind of it so that your scent will alert it. Never tease or feed a bear in the wild. Be particularly wary of female bears with cubs. If they perceive you to be a threat to their young, they may very well attack.

TAKE PROPER CARE OF YOUR FISH

If you've decided to keep your catch for table fare, the most important thing to remember is to keep it cool. This may not be terribly difficult on many of our Garrett County spring days; but, if the temperature rises there are some simple steps that you can take to make sure the catch remains in top shape.

Stream fishermen can keep their caught fish in a creel

lined with wet grass. It's a good idea to gut your trout before putting it in the creel and make sure there is good air circulation. Don't keep your fish in a container that prevents air circulation. The reward for proper care is reaped at the dinner table.

When it is time to clean your catch, the most important requirement is a sharp knife. A sharp blade is safer and makes the job much easier. A properly sharpened blade will slice through the meat without requiring excessive force. Accidents happen when too much pressure is needed to make the cut. Check the angle-guide sharpening systems at your local outfitter; they make the task of keeping your knife sharp much easier.

TENTH ANNIVERSARY

New England Firearms is celebrating the 10th anniversary of their Handi-Rifle with a limited edition hand engraved issue. The estimated issue will be less than 100 units; consequently, collectors may want to take a look at this one.

The Handi-Rifle is a single shot, break action rifle offered in several popular calibers and each caliber will have an anniversary issue gun available. All guns will be serialized with a TA prefix to indicate its special status as a Tenth Anniversary limited edition. If interested, check with your local firearm retailer or Write H 7 R 1871, Inc., at 60 Industrial Row, Gardner, MA 01440 for more information.

LEARNING ABOUT FLY FISHING

Spring Creek Outfitters conducted their first fly fishing symposium last April 12 and 13, and, even though the weather was not cooperative, had an enthusiastic group assembled to learn about basic equipment, fly selection, and basic casting technique. Another session is planned for sometime this summer. This one will probably take place on one of the area rivers and will focus more on casting technique and presentation. Anyone interested in finding out more about this next session can call the shop at 301-334-6409.

The Spring Creek staff will be presenting a slide show to the Free State Flyfishers on May 7 in Annapolis. The topic is western Maryland trout fishing.

RIVER REPORT

May is the month that fly fishermen relish. As the weather warms, the insect hatches that produce excellent dry fly fishing become more frequent. Here in Garrett County, we'll start seeing caddis and march brown activity on the Yough, Savage, and North Branch. Also, the renowned green drake returns to the Yough.

THIS IS YOUR FORUM

This column, Garrett County Outdoors, can be a forum for distributing information of interest to sporting men and women. If you have something you would like discussed or a question or comment about any pertinent subject matter send it to Garrett County Outdoors, P.O. Box 326, Oakland, MD 21550.

Tommy Dorsey

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Artie Shaw to join his newly formed orchestra. From there, he joined Eddy Duchin and then the Whiteman and Dorsey orchestras.

Morrow has been a staff musician for CBS, a free-lance recording, radio, and television artist, a featured player on NBC's "Tonight Show," and a featured artist on the Arthur Godfrey radio show. As leader of his own band, he recorded such hits as "Night Train, One Mint Julep, and Hey, Mr. Jones."

Morrow has insisted that the Tommy Dorsey Orchestra retain the authentic sound and style of the late Tommy Dorsey, and still be flexible enough to meet any musical situation. The band's repertoire includes classics from the original orchestra, popular Dixieland rhythm and blues, jazz, and current rock tunes.

Tickets for the Tommy Dorsey Orchestra program are available at the GLAF

Input Sought

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During monthly meetings of the board of education, time is always scheduled for public comment in general. Sharps' suggestion would provide a time dedicated to community input on the hiring of a superintendent.

Noting that a person accepting the position of superintendent of schools could serve for the next twenty years, Sharps stated his hopes that many people would be inclined to voice opinions on the type of individual they would want to perform those duties that are so vital to the role of education in Garrett County. "As chairman of the committee, I would encourage people to come forward to give input," he said. The advisory committee will also develop a recom-

mendation to the board on the future superintendent of schools.

THE SEARCH

The school board has advertised the superinten-

dent position. Wishing to reach a wide field of candidates, the board members placed an ad in a national journal read by educators. The notice describes the Garrett County public school system as having a population of 5,100 in 16 schools.

The ad goes on to profile the type of candidate sought to fill the office of superintendent. "A successor is sought who will provide strong leadership in conjunction with community values, while seeking community involvement in the schools," it states.

While not specifically noted in the advertisement, the prerequisites for the job are the minimum required by the state. The candidate must have a master's degree, be experienced in education and administration and meet the qualifications for certification.

Board Of Ed To Hold Public Budget Meeting

The Garrett County Board of Education will hold a public meeting to complete the school budget proposal to present to the Garrett County Commissioners. Monday, May 5, at 7 p.m., the board will meet in special session at the Board of Education office in Oakland.

The public is encouraged to attend the final step in the process of drafting the FY 1998 budget request.

Anyone wishing further information may contact the board office at 301-334-8901.

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For additional information,
Contact Fred Gregg at 301-334-8416

RABIES CLINIC SCHEDULE

The Garrett County Health Department will be sponsoring a full week of low-cost rabies clinics for the vaccination of cats and dogs beginning Monday, May 5, and concluding Saturday, May 10. Area residents are encouraged to check the following schedule for exact times and locations of the clinic in their area:

PLACE	SITE	DATE	TIME
Grantsville	Elementary School	Monday 5/5/97	5-6 p.m.
Gorman	Fire Hall	Tuesday 5/6/97	5-6 p.m.
Accident	Elementary School	Wednesday 5/7/97	5-6 p.m.
Bloomington	Fire Hall	Thursday 5/8/97	5-6 p.m.
Friendsville	Elementary School	Friday 5/9/97	5-6 p.m.
Oakland	Broad Ford Elementary School	Saturday 5/10/97	10 a.m.-12 noon

Cost of the vaccination is \$5 per animal at the clinics.

Dogs should be on a leash and under the control of a responsible individual. Cats should be brought to the clinic in a cage or a tightly secured box with air holes.

SWANTON NEWS

Linda Fleming and Lucinda Davis accompanied Amber Davis on a school trip to Baltimore Friday.

Orval and Mareva Teets attended the annual dinner meeting of the Chessie Credit Union Saturday evening at the Shrine Club in Cumberland.

Ireta Sweitzer and her son Michael were Sunday guests at a private brunch at the Governor's house in Annapolis with Governor and Mrs. Glendening and other participants in the Senior Citizen Fine Arts exhibition being held at the State House, April 14 - May 30. Ireta's pastel, "Renaissance," was chosen by a distinguished jury of art experts and network professionals to highlight the best of senior citizen fine arts in Maryland.

After the brunch they toured the public rooms of the Governor's Mansion, which were festively decorated for the spring open house event "Maryland Blossoms in the Arts." They also attended a ceremony to honor the senior artists and officially begin the State-wide Celebration of Older Americans Month in Maryland.

Other family members of Mrs. Sweitzer who traveled to Annapolis for the celebration were Sonya Craver, John and Shirley Furr, and Sheila Sweitzer.

Those attending a birthday dinner for Neal Rizer on Sunday were: Audrey, Brandi, Fannie and Bob Rizer, Dawn, Tasha, and Kylie; Charles, Crystal, Megan, and Matthew Teets; and Steve, Wandell, and Stefanie Feaster. The dinner was at the home of Bob and Fannie Rizer.

New Arrivals

The births of five infants this week at Garrett County Memorial Hospital were announced this morning by a hospital spokesperson.

A son was born April 26 to Jeffery Earl and Katrina Marie Sider Moreland, Arthur, W.Va.

A son was born April 27 to Eric Brian and Debra Marie Gasova Ludwig, Wellsburg, W.Va.

A son was born April 28 to William Leon Sr. and Patricia Lou Dixon Shreve, Oakland.

A son was born April 28 to Theodore Denzil and Sherri Dawn Wilt Evans, Oakland.

A son was born April 28 to William Britton and Lorna Marie Kitzmiller Garlitz, Grantsville.

Admissions were listed at 63 with 56 discharges. This morning's census shows 35 patients.

Staff Meeting

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Extension Service
Alice Hevner of the Extension Service announced that several state dignitaries were to be on hand Tuesday for a reception held at the Pleasant Valley Community Center. The reception was to be the stage for announcing the awarding of an \$87,730 grant from the United States Department of Agriculture for a small meats project.

Stated to attend, among several other local and state dignitaries, were Lewis Riley, Maryland secretary of agriculture, and Gus Douglas, commissioner of West Virginia Department of Agriculture.

Hevner also announced that a tractor certification session will be held on June 9-11, and that the Farm Safety Day is slated for July

Savage River Road.

Richard, Betty and Kenneth Harvey, New Martinsville, W.Va., visited Ellis and Mary June Harvey on Sunday.

Jane Sickler, senior coordinator, information and assistance, from the Area Agency on Aging, visited the Swanton Senior Meal site on Monday.

OTTERBEIN UM CHURCH NEWS

Lance Rhodes was the speaker at the Brotherhood breakfast in Grantsville last Saturday morning. Those attending from Swanton were Orval Teets, Richard Gerlach, Harley Wildesen, Brian Schofield, and Jesse Skipper.

On Saturday, May 10, a mother/daughter brunch will be held at the church from 10 a.m. to noon.

At a Swanton - Kitzmiller pastor/parish meeting held last Tuesday at Bethel UM Church, Mtn. Lake Park, a retirement party for Rev. Joe Hatcher was planned. The party will be Friday, May 30, 6:30 p.m., at Otterbein Church. Rev. Hatcher is retiring in June. His final service will be on June 1 at Bethel and Otterbein.

Sunday, May 4, there will be a "Praise and Prayer" service here at 7 p.m.

(delayed one week)
Ellisa, Mike, and Michaela Woodbrey, Frostburg, were overnight guests of Ellis and Mary June Harvey last weekend.

"Wiley and the Hairy Man" by Susan Zeder was directed by Addy Wilson, a senior at West Virginia Wesleyan College, Buckhannon, W.Va. The children's play was directed and performed in honor of Thomas E. Wilson, Addy's grandfather. David Wilson and Thomas Wilson traveled to Buckhannon April 17 for the 8:00 a.m. pre-showing. "Wiley and the Hairy Man" will have 11 showings in the Upshur County elementary schools. Mary Ann Wolfe (daughter of Andy and Linda Wolfe), Mtn. Lake Park, is in the chorus.

Holly Wilson spent the weekend at West Virginia Wesleyan visiting her sister Addy.

On Saturday, April 19, Freda Teets visited her granddaughter, Addy Wilson, at West Virginia Wesleyan College Children's Festival. Also visiting Addy were Mary Louise Wilson, Crystal Teets, Megan Teets, and Matthew Teets. They attended "Wiley and the Hairy Man" and the evening performance of "Harvey" by Mary Chase. Addy had the part of Mrs. Betty Chumley, the doctor's wife, in "Harvey."

The family of David Schofield celebrated his birthday last Sunday with a dinner at the home of his grandparents, Ellis and Mary June Harvey. David is a student at Frostburg State University. Others attending

the dinner were Sandy and Brian Schofield, Bittinger; Ellisa, Mike, Emily, and Michaela Woodbrey, and Elida Schofield, Frostburg; and Jennifer and Michael Pariseau, Oakland.

The family of George Rexroad surprised him with a retirement party at the community center on Sunday, April 20. Approximately 85 guests attended. George retired from Luke

Mill (Westvaco), after 35 years service.

Dorothy Hatcher returned after spending several days in Vienna, W.Va., with daughter and son-in-law Carrie and Jeff Reed.

Orval and Mareva Teets visited Jim Teets, Bear Creek Road, Friendsville, on Sunday. Other visitors were Rose and Clarence Laub, Confluence, Pa.

Recent visitors of Ellis Harvey, who is confined to

his home by illness, were Rev. Charles Teets, Jesse Skipper, Rev. Joe Hatcher, and Bruce Helmick.

Sam and Carolyn Snyder, Bowie, were weekend guests of Helen, Earl, and Bob Winters. On Saturday Kim Rush and daughters Kara, Lyndsie, Elizabeth, and Rebecca and Laura Bonser also visited and they celebrated the 11th birthday of Lyndsie.

The fourth annual Vol-

unteer Banquet was held at the Pleasant Valley Community Building on Saturday, April 19. Those attending were: Betty and Harley Wildesen, Irvin and Louise Beckman, Doris Howell and Phyllis Friend, Doris, Phyllis, Irvin and Harley were awarded the Pride and Appreciation certificate in recognition of their volunteer service for the Area Agency on Aging.

Josh Teets was presented

the Boy Scouts of America God and Country award at the Sunday morning worship service by Rev. Hatcher.

The Potomac Highland Discipleship Training event held Monday evening at Grace UM Church, Keyser, W.Va., was attended by Ray and Carol Sweitzer, Carl Lee, Joan Riley, Linda Fleming, Mareva Teets, Lucinda Davis, and Mary June Harvey.

WEATHER

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4/24	52	39	.05
4/25	53	37	.22
4/26	59	30	.03
4/27	53	32	.13
4/28	53	45	.43
4/29	65	29	0
4/30	77	30	0
KEYBERS RIDGE			
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4/25	54	32	.28
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of Southern Garrett High School, joined the Marine Corps in September 1996.

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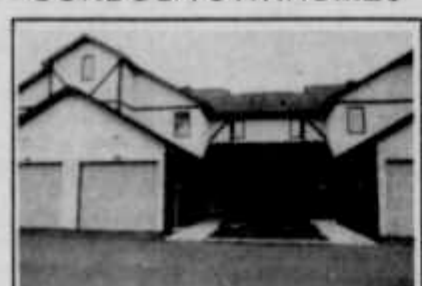
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Perfect Hideaway! 2125894 Don't miss this opportunity to own the perfect wooded site for your mountain cabin. Close to lake, level, and ready to build on! Call now. \$8,700

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A Country Treasure! 2001909 Square 20 +/- acres of level to rolling pasture with spring. Great views with paved road frontage. Perfect for small ranch or farm. \$48,400

Backbone Ridge Subdivision, Lot 2 2128047 4.52 acres perfectly located between Canaan Valley and Deep Creek Lake offering fantastic views from the top of Backbone Ridge. Call for details! \$32,000

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Bench Road, Sky Valley 2161926 One of Deep Creek Lake's finest! Spectacular, four level, contemporary home on 1.4 acres with over 3500 square feet of living space. Upgrades galore! Professionally landscaped and private. Call now for more details. \$280,000



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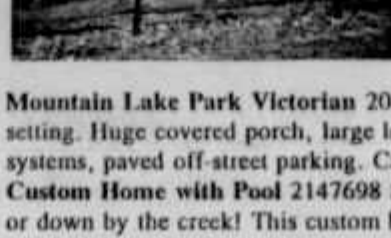
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Lake Area 2165010 Well maintained three bedroom, two bath chalet. One acre lot with beautiful views of Deep Creek Lake and surrounding mountains. Woodburner in family room. \$119,900



Roman Nose 2164683 See the lake from your sunroom, hot tub, or deck! Three bedrooms plus plenty of room for living and hobbies. Call for showing. \$72,000

Mountain Lake Park Victorian 2040235 Comfortable home in private setting. Huge covered porch, large lot, master bedroom has full bath. Updated systems, paved off-street parking. Call now! \$83,500

Custom Home with Pool 2147698 Summer fun in your own in-ground pool or down by the creek! This custom home offers the best of everything. Call office for details. \$210,000

637 Mill Run Road 2149544 This lovely two bedroom bungalow is in a quiet setting. Only 1/2 mile from Youghiogheny River Lake! Newly remodeled kitchen. Why pay the high cost of Deep Creek Lake when you can own this property for \$71,500

Cabin in the Woods 2153520 Enjoy the wildlife from the porch of this charming cottage on six wooded acres. Everything you need is right here. \$59,900

Nye Timber Subdivision, Lot 11 & 12 2165174 Wooded 3.40 acres. For seclusion and privacy this is the home site for you. Close to boating, skiing, shopping and all activities. \$13,500

Roman Nose 2165898 Wooded building lots close to Deep Creek Lake and Wisp Ski Resort. These lots are near all recreational activities and located just off Lake Shore Drive. What a great price! One lot is .92 acres for \$10,900. The other lot is .46 acres for \$5,700

River Access - Great Price 6784 Appealing homestead in the pines with views of distant mountains. 6.9 acres, adjacent to common area and very close to Yough River's edge. Owner financing available! \$22,000

Backbone Ridge, Section II, Lot 18 7681 This 7.72 acre lot is in Southern Garrett County. Perfect for hunters or mountain get-a-way. Approved for building. \$20,000

Brunson Subdivision, Lot 1-A 7954 Wooded one acre lot ready to build. Utilities and perked. \$15,900

Wolf Den Ridge 8590 Wooded building sites. Minutes from the new Maryland access to Jennings Randolph Lake, Deep Creek Lake and all attractions. Perfect and affordable for year 'round or vacation living. Ask about complete Turn-key Packages. 2 to 9.4 acre sites starting as low as \$11,600

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Solitude, Peace and Quiet 2043515 Six acres that borders on Savage River State Forest. Perfect for your country home, chalet or hunting cabin. Adjacent lot also for sale! \$28,000

Commune With Nature or Commute to Work. 2010562 Bear Creek Forest, Lot 23 offers four level wooded acres with access to trout stream. Secluded yet just minutes from I-68. Suitable for primary residence or a get away. \$17,500

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Southern High School Honor Students Named

The honor roll for the third grading term at Southern High School was released this week by the school administration. The following students were named to the distinguished honor roll for earning at least 90 percent in all subjects (all A's):

GRADE NINE

Julie M. Callis, Stephanie N. Forman, Jordan A. Hazelwood, Jessica M. Hinebaugh, Sheena A. Murphy, Beverly Murray, Emily R. Nemith, Nathaniel E. Panther, Marianne A. Peracchio, Bonnie K. Riley, Lauren A. Rudy, Jennifer L. Sanders, Elizabeth A. Sauder, Stephanie N. Schmidt, Misty J. Sereno, Michael R. Shahan, Kristen L. Spurrier, Amanda K. Stewart, Kara L. Wengerd, Carrie A. Werdebaugh, Sarah M. Winter, and Theodore M. Wolf.

GRADE 10

John W. Andrews, Andrea L. Bender, John M. Donaldson, Amanda L. Hinebaugh, Ruth A. Martin, Susan G. Mayfield, Michelle D. McCartney, Jeanne R. Meyers, Derrick A. Nelson, Annie E. Neville, Michael J. Paesani, Ashley G. Reese, Eric L. Rexrode, Jason C. Rodeheaver, Daniel M. Shafer, Lucy D. Timmerman, and Jason M. Weaver.

GRADE 11

Jason A. Bernard, Rishi B. Bhatnagar, Brittney L.



Decker, Carrie M. Filsinger, Julie E. Giotfelty, Jennifer E. Shaffer, and Nathaniel E. Watkins.

GRADE 12

Ary G. Bosley, Melanie G. Cook, Meghan V. Dabney, Lisa M. Elliott, Adilka I. Fernandez, Sarah E. Fike, Patrick R. Forman, Timothy P. Jeffreys, Amanda D. Miller, Lauren W. Newcomb, Matthew A. Paugh, Janice M. Plauger, Heather L. Shahan, Matthew R. Sincell, Tracy D. Upole, and Matthew Zimmerman.

The following students were named to the regular honor roll for earning at least 80 percent in all subjects (all A's and/or B's):

GRADE NINE

Bryan W. Barnard, Timothy R. Beckman, Jessica L. Bittinger, Meranda F. Byers, Carolyn E. Carpenter, Nicholas J. Cosner, Mary R. Evans, Stephanie M. Ford, Rebecca K. Gangler, Amanda L. Gregory, Heather L. Hanline, Megan D. Hickman, Alexander L. Hill, Erin L. Hoalcraft, Amy D. Johnson, Cassandra L. Kauffman, Also, Justin D. Liller, Stephanie R. Miller, Jamie M. Moore, Jeremy L. Murphy, Lauren K. Nelson, Chad A. Nice, Amanda J.

Palmer, Nicholas W. Pratt, James E. Reed, Andrew J. Rickman, Jason Rohrbaugh, Kristian I. Rohrbaugh, Phillip D. Rumer, Bethany A. Savage, Julie M. Savage; Also, Michael J. Schwalm, Faryn L. Shaffer, Brandon C. Shank, Amy J. Sherwood, Angela M. Sincell, Joshua P. Sines, Andrew S. Sisler, Minday D. Spano, Holli B. Stemple, Justin M. Stephens, Jennifer L. Teagarden, Eric P. Tressler, Abraham G. VanMeter, Christian K. Warfield, Everett B. Weimer, William C. Wesley, Amber Wilt, and Andrew J. Zimmerman.

GRADE 10

Jarrett T. Bolden, Jarod E. Broadwater, Shawn L. Cardiff, Jesse A. Coddington, Amanda R. Cogley, Janet R. Cook, Michael J. Dehus, Nathan L. DiSimone, Nicholas A. Dolan, James L. Durst, Christopher P. Ewing, Fawn C. Ferguson, Brent M. Furr, Bethany M. Gaither, Crystal A. Gordon, Tonia L. Guthrie, Ricky W. Hamilton, Kathryn E. Helbig, Crystal L. Hinnant;

Also, T. Holtschneider, Bo D. Jonson, April D. Layton, Brandi L. Lewis, Vicki L. Lloyd, Katelyne K. McBee, Devon E. McClive, Regina Mick, Michael D. Pamepinto, Jackie L. Paugh, John M. Rhodes, M.J. Rodeheaver, Brandy N. Rush, Erin L. Rush, Jessica F. Saturday, Ashley R. Shreve, Sara A. Shrewsbury; Also, Amanda E. Spink, Amanda D. Stieringer, William R. Stoner, Toni L. Sullivan, Douglas R. Tasker, Laura M. Taylor, Erica L. Tinsley, Krystal L. Towne, David H. Upole, Kane E. Wengerd, Belinda M. Whitehair, Stephen A. Wilt, and Carrie L. Yommer.

GRADE 11

Kendra R. Alexander, Kenzie C. Alexander, Ste-



EARTH DAY CELEBRATED AT KITZMILLER SCHOOL - Students at Kitzmiller Elementary School celebrated the natural wealth of their planet on Tuesday, April 22, in observance of Earth Day. Activities were planned for the entire afternoon, with "stations" focused on Land, Water, Air, and Recycling. The children were visited by Stone Otter, area Native American Herb Clevenger (pictured at left) of the Eastern Woodland Tribe, who led a tree-planting ceremony on the school grounds. A pine tree, donated for the event by Mark Gallucci, owner of Nature's Own Landscaping in McHenry, was planted. Stone Otter used a sacred mixture of tobacco and sage to conduct the ceremony, the purpose of which was to "protect the tree from evil spirits." The guest answered many questions of the children, chiefly about the history of Native Americans and their appreciation of the Earth. The children are pictured above with teacher Patty Hickey as they plant seeds in cups of dirt as part of the Land station. Teacher Adrienne Ingram is shown below as she leads the children in a relay water game. The students were to use cups to empty one bucket of water and fill another. While the activity was a game for the children, the teachers also used it to highlight the history of American children, who for many years were the family members whose job it was to get water from the well and lug it into the home.



ven L. Allison, George W. Beckman, Brian M. Brown, Lisa M. Connolly, Francesca M. Coviello, Scott A. Elliott, Rachel S. Farmer, Jennifer R. Friend, Lindsay A. Garris, Richard A. Granke, Andrew H. Harvey, Connie S. Harvey, Heather D. Harvey, Stephanie Hinebaugh, David W. Lantz, James A. Lloyd, Daniel J. Lucas;

Also, Meredith M. Martin, Mariah M. McBee, Bridget L. Miller, Elizabeth M. Moon, Thomas D. Nichols, Karrie L. Nine, Stephen M. Pariseau, Hannah E. Paugh, Jennifer Reckart, Michael D. Rohrbaugh, Allison L. Rudy, Gregory S. Savage, Robert E. Schmidt, Daniel C. Sincell, Sara E. Sincell, Bethany E. Smith, Jacquelyn M. Stanley, James E. Steyer, Anya R. Tasker, Crystal L. Tasker, Michelle D. Thompson, Jason M. Upole, Matthew R. Walthall, Erin M. Wampler, and Jeremy A. Whitacre.

GRADE 12

Kandi M. Ashby, Jennifer L. Barnard, James E. Brown, Belinda S. Burns, Kerri J. Cannon, Adam J.

Chorpenning, Eric R. Cosner, Eliza R. Coviello, Brian W. DeWitt, Cheryl Dilsworth, Jerry L. Ferguson, Ryan M. Fike, Jenny L. Finkel, Corey B. Friend, Paul A. Friend, Kerry M. Graybill, Ronald A. Guthrie, Abby D. Hershman, T.L. Holtschneider, P.D. Howdyshe, Shannon M. Hunter, Danielle K. Jackson, Courtney N. Keeys;

Also, Toni Lewis, Sarah E. Murray, Sindy L. Niner, David E. Peterson, Rita M. Powell, Christy A. Reams, Rodney A. Reckart, Megan R. Redinger, Nathan C. Rickman, Nicholas A. Rohrbaugh, Deni L. Shafer, Elizabeth S. Sines, Robert C. Sines, Joy L. Sisler, Erica L. Stahl, Brandi N. Stoner, Thomas D. Stuck, Joshua C. Teets,

Paul T. Tepper, Seth M. Tressler, Sampsa M. Tuo-

misto, Matthew S. Whitacre, and Holly G. Wilson.

Keystone Reports Quarterly Gains

Keystone Financial, Inc., Pennsylvania's fifth largest bank holding company, has reported operating results for the first quarter ended March 31, 1997.

First quarter net income increased to \$17,129,000, or 46 cents per share, from \$16,857,000, or 44 cents per share for the comparable period last year. For the first quarter, return on average assets was 1.34% and return on average equity was 13.91%.

Assets at the close of the first quarter were \$5,189,697,000, a four percent gain from \$4,966,610,000 at the end of the first quarter of 1996. Deposits grew to \$4,080,080,000 from \$3,990,379,000 for the corresponding period of 1996, and loans increased four percent to \$3,494,457,000 from last year's \$3,355,552,000.

"We are pleased with the reported quarterly performance gain. While net interest income growth was less than anticipated, fee-based incomes continued to register strong growth. Competitive market conditions and an increase in the

mix of higher cost deposits moderated the increase in our net interest income," Carl L. Campbell, president and chief executive officer, said. "We are confident that the strategies we are pursuing will improve our future performance, and build shareholder value."

Keystone Financial has six member banks, including American Trust Bank, N.A.; Cumberland, which together operate 145 offices in Pennsylvania, Maryland, and West Virginia. Keystone also operates several non-banking companies providing specialized financial services including Martin-Andres & Co., (asset management firm), West Conshohocken, Pa.; Keystone Dealer Finance Center, Williamsport, Pa., and KeyCall Phone Banking Center, Cumberland.

The previously announced acquisitions of Financial Trust, a bank holding company headquartered in Carlisle, Pa., with approximately \$1.2 billion in assets and 48 community offices in seven counties in Pennsylvania and Maryland, and First Financial of Western Maryland, a thrift holding company headquartered in Cumberland, with approximately \$345 million in assets, are scheduled for completion during the second quarter.

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